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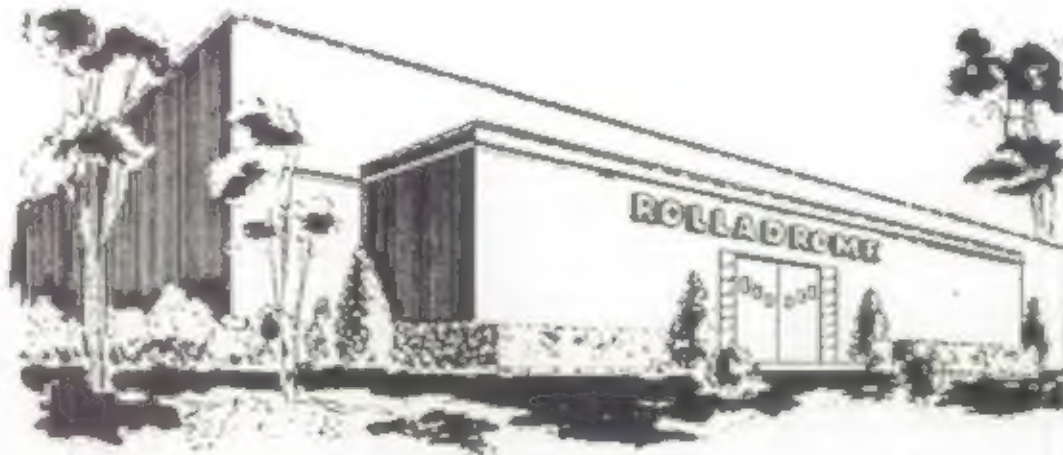
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Friday, Oct. 12 Kalamazoo	Here
Friday, Oct. 19 Grand Haven	There
Friday, Oct. 26 Benton Harbor	Here
Saturday, Nov. 3 Hazel Park	Here
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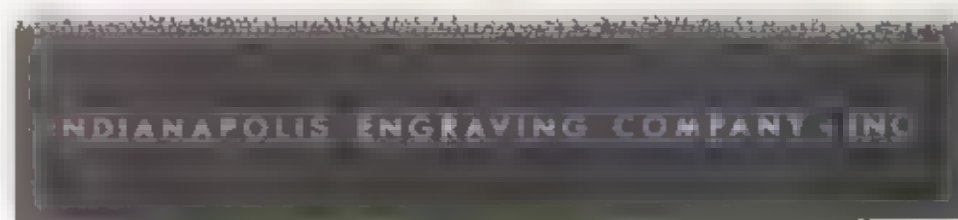
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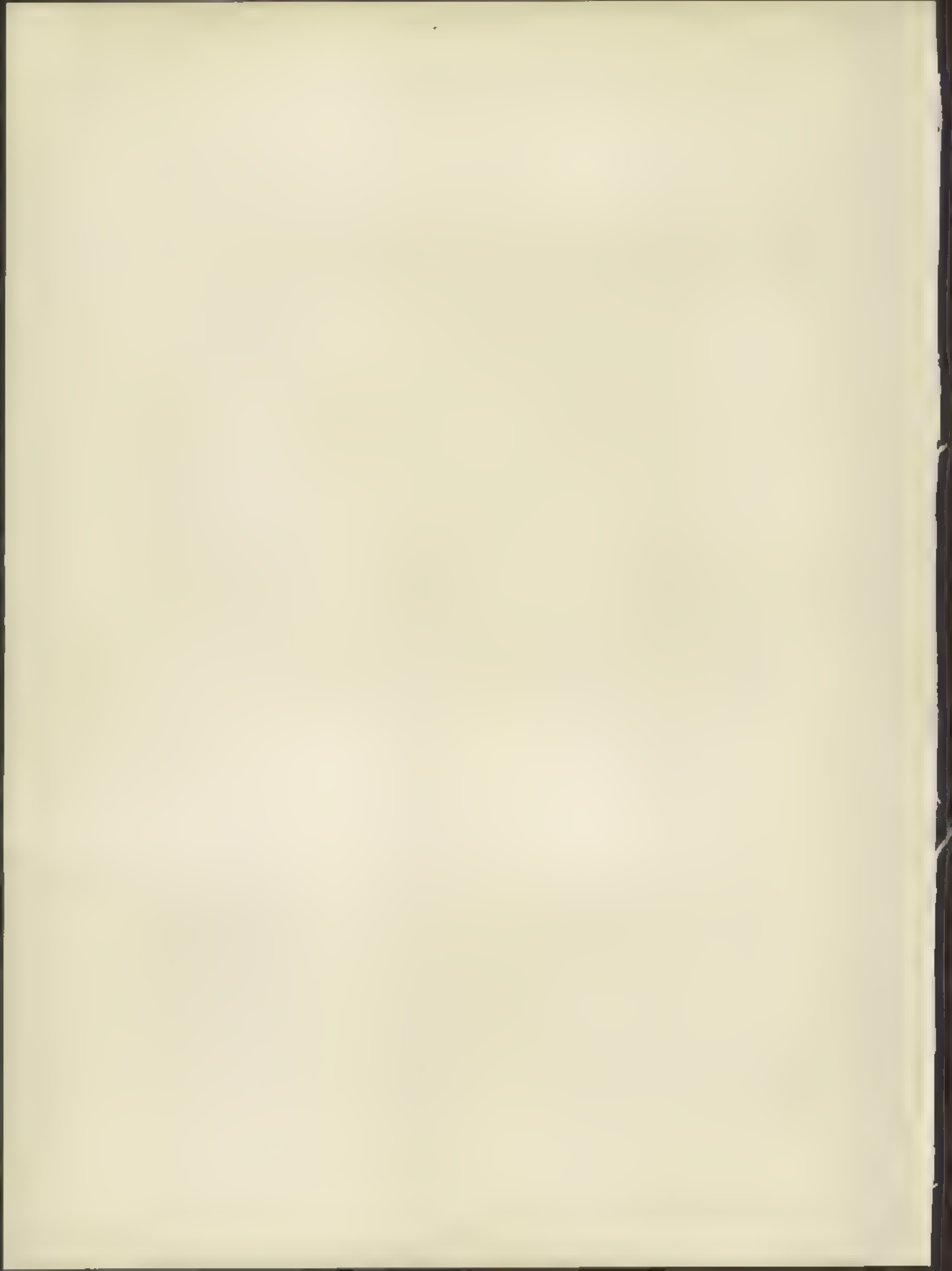
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Wants to be a medical doctor

ARTHUR ELWOOD HILL General

Likes printing and sports
Wants to be an ice-cream man

H:Y 2

ROGER E. HILLSTEAD College

Likes baseball
Wants to be a restaurant owner

Baseball 3

MARY LOUISE HILTON General

Likes baseball, popular music, and music
Wants to be a telephone operator

Girls MH Winner 3, Acorn Staff 4, Oaks Staff 4

ALFRED M. HOLMAN, JR. College

Likes math and movies
Wants to be a teacher

Varsity Basketball 3,4; Reserve Basketball 4
 Track 3,4

JEANNIE L. HOWELL Commercial

Likes coconut pie
Wants to be a missionary

Girls MH Winner 2; Student Council Room Representative 2,3,4; Y-Teens 3,4; Spanish Club 2
 Bible Club 4; Booster Club 2,3,4 (Vice President)
 Acorn Staff 4, Oaks Staff 4

DONNA MAE INMAN Commercial

Likes secretarial work
Wants to be a secretary or housewife

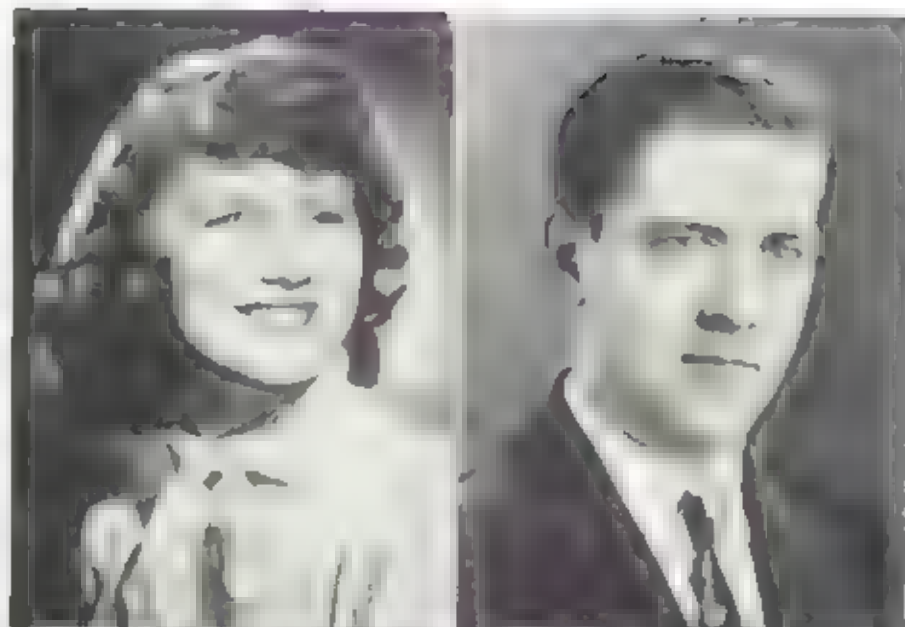
Dramatics Class 3

JAMES J. JACKSON General

Likes popular songs
Wants to be a disc jockey

Varsity Football 3,4; Reserve Football 2, Varsity Basketball 3,4; Track 2; Intramural Champions 3; All State Team 3





SHIRLEY JEAN JANUSKA College

Likes dancing
Wants to be a nurse

Girl's MH Winner 2,3; Choir 2,3,4; Glee Club 1;
Student Council Room Representative 1,2,3; Cheer
Leader 2,3; Style Show 3,4; Y-Teens 3; Booster
Club 3



GERALD J. JEFFERY General

Likes fishing
Wants to be a sergeant



GORDON O. JOHNSON College

Likes women
Wants to be a druggist

Varsity Football 3,4; Reserve Football 2; Varsity
Basketball 3,4; Reserve Basketball 2



JOHN A. JOHNSON, JR. General

Likes pool and hot-rods
Wants to own a gas station

Track 2,3; Intramural Champions 1; Junior Play
Cast 3; Hi Y 3,4; Spanish Club 2.

JOHN ROSS JOHNSTON College

Likes
Wants to be a forester

Tennis 2; Oratory Winner 3; Junior Play Commit-
tee 3; Senior Play Committee 4; Art 1,2,3,4;
Spanish Club 3,4; Teen-age Book Club 2.

JUNE COLLETTE KEEFER General

Likes letters
Wants to be a housewife.

Style Show 2,3

JACK STEVEN KEGLOVITZ General

Likes to travel
Wants to be a timekeeper.

Junior Play Cast 3; Senior Play Cast 4; Senior
Play Committee 4; Dramatics 3,4; Acorn Editor 4
Oaks Editor 4; Advertising Salesman (Oaks) 4;
Student Council Representative 4; Exchange Stu-
dent

JEROME M. KENDRA General

Likes to hunt
Wants to be a conservation officer

JOAN ANN KENJESKY College

Likes music, sports, mystery
Wants to be a school teacher

Girls' Track 2; Intramural Baseball 2; Glee Club 1; Junior Arbor Girl 3; Spanish Club 2, 3, 4; Advertising Salesman

BILLY MOORE KERLEY College

Likes television and eating
Wants to be an undertaker

Band 1,2,3,4; Heights Nite Show 1,2,3,4; Hi Y 1,2,3,4

BEVERLY JEAN KIEFT General

Likes movies
Wants to be a receptionist

Girl Scouts 1; Spanish Club 3

PHYLLIS EUGENIA KING General

Likes square dancing
Wants to be a receptionist

Senior Play Committee 4; Acorn Staff 4; Library Club 1,4 (President); Y Teens 1; Spanish Club 2

MARGUERITE A. KRESNAK General

Likes Jerry and popcorn
Wants to be a housewife

Choir 2,3,4; Style Show 2

RONALD JULIUS KRUEGER General

Likes anything
Wants to be a bank executive

ALAN LEROY LANDGRAF General

Likes music
Wants to be happy

Reserve Football 2; Choir 3,4; Senior Play Committee 4; Student Council Room Representative 4

JANET MABLE LARSON Commercial

Likes apple pie
Wants to be a secretary

Glee Club 1; Junior Arbor Girl 3





MARILYN JOAN LEE Commercial

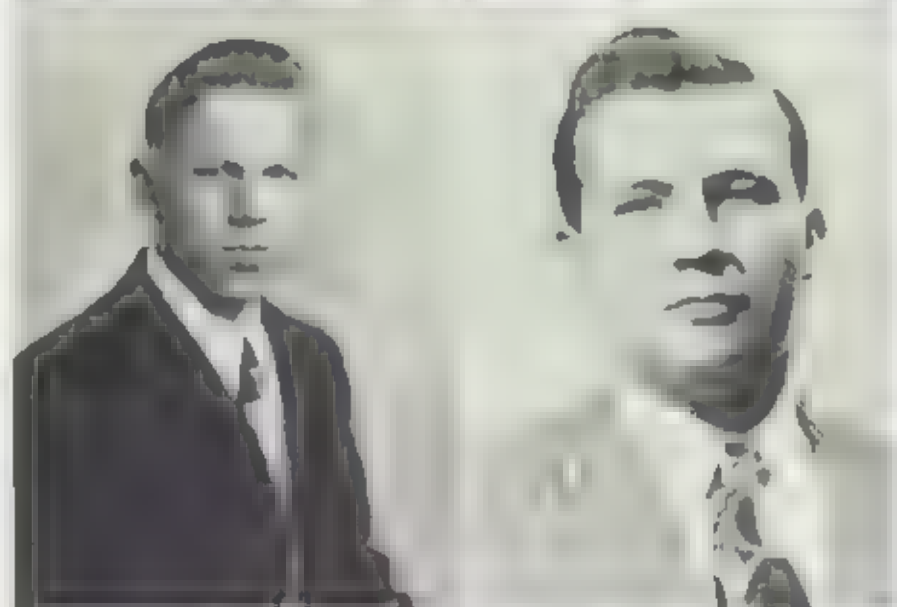
Likes vacations
Wants to be a secretary

Choir 2 3 4; Booster Club 3,4

MARTHA JANE LeMIEUX College

Likes sports, dances, men, and food
Wants to be an over-seas nurse

Acorn Staff 4; Oaks Staff 4; Advertising Salesman 4; Student Council Room Representative 1,2; Student Council Convention, Washington D.C. 1; Library Club 1; Y Teens 1,2



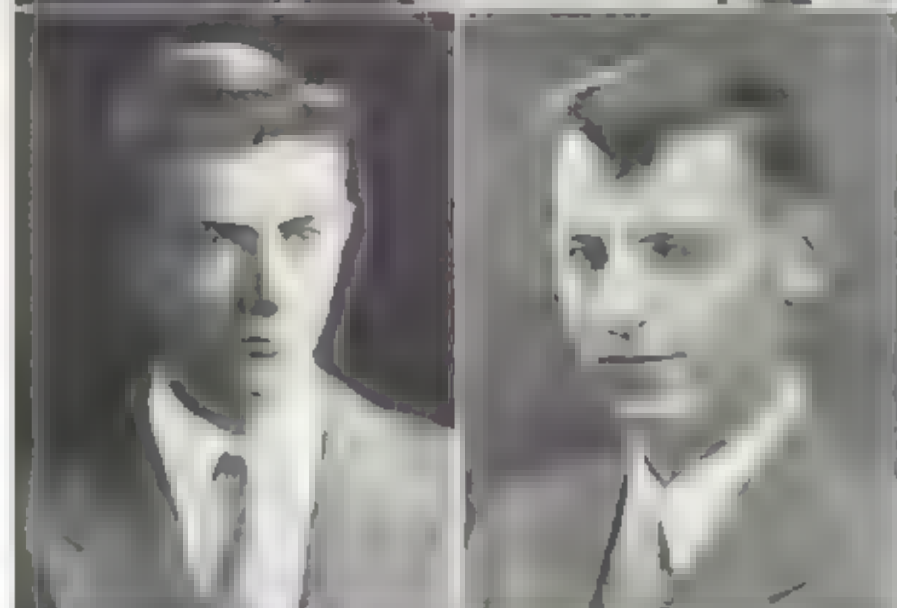
WILLIAM A. LIEFER General

Likes baseball
Wants to be a bowling alley proprietor.

MARTIN J. LOFTIS General

Likes women
Wants to be an undertaker

Junior Play Cast 3; Senior Play Committee 4, Hi-Y 4



CHARLES DAVID LONG General

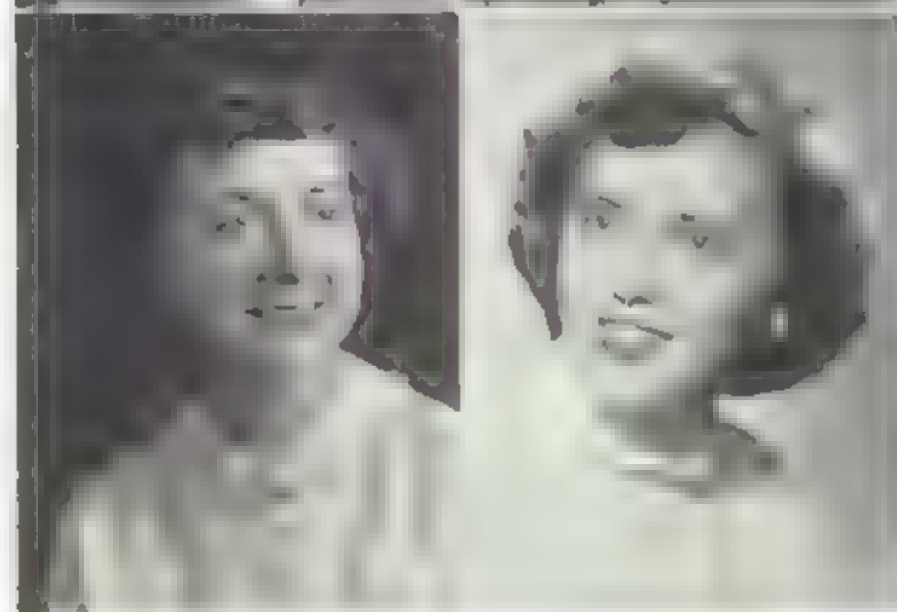
Likes ice fishing, sports, and pickled
Wants to be a pattern-maker

Varsity Football 3; Reserve Football 2; Tennis 2; Oaks Staff 4; Acorn Staff 4; Student Council Room Representative 4; Hi-Y 1,2,3,4

ROBERT D. LOOYENGOED General

Likes jazz music
Wants to be a printer

Band 3; Heights Nite Show 3; Tulip Time 1; State Festival for Band 3



NORMA JOAN McCARTHY College

Likes horseback riding
Wants to be a nurse

BETTY JANE McCAULEY General

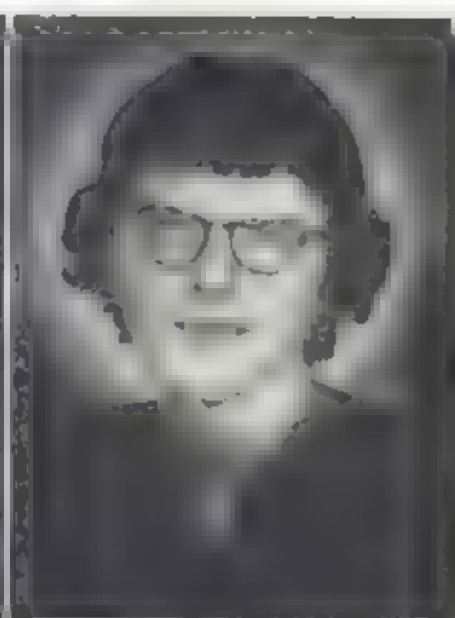
Likes slow music
Wants to be a dental assistant

Glee Club 1; Student Council Room Representative 2; Style Show 1,3; Y-Teens 1; French Club 2,3

ROSEMARY McDONALD General

Likes blue cheese and crackers
Wants to be a dental assistant

Glee Club 4; Acorn Staff 4; Oaks Staff 4; Style Show 2,3; Spanish Club 4



GERALDINE A. McDOWELL General

Likes old cars
Wants to be a secretary

Bible Club 1



ELNER L. McGEEHAN Commercial

Likes chocolate pu
Wants to be a secretary to an executive

Glee Club 1; Junior Arbor Girl 3; French Club 2
 Booster Club 3

HAROLD JAMES MCGILL College

Likes ice hockey
Wants to be a general

Debate Team 4; Junior Play Committee 3; Senior Play Cast 4; Class Vice President 4; Student Council Room Representative 1,3



RICHARD LEE MCGONIGLE General

CARL CLINTON MANSFIELD College

Likes accordion music, ski
skating
Wants to be a teacher

Senior Play Cast 4; Spanish Club 3; Teen-age Club 2

JEROME MARQUEZ College

Likes history
Wants to be a lawyer

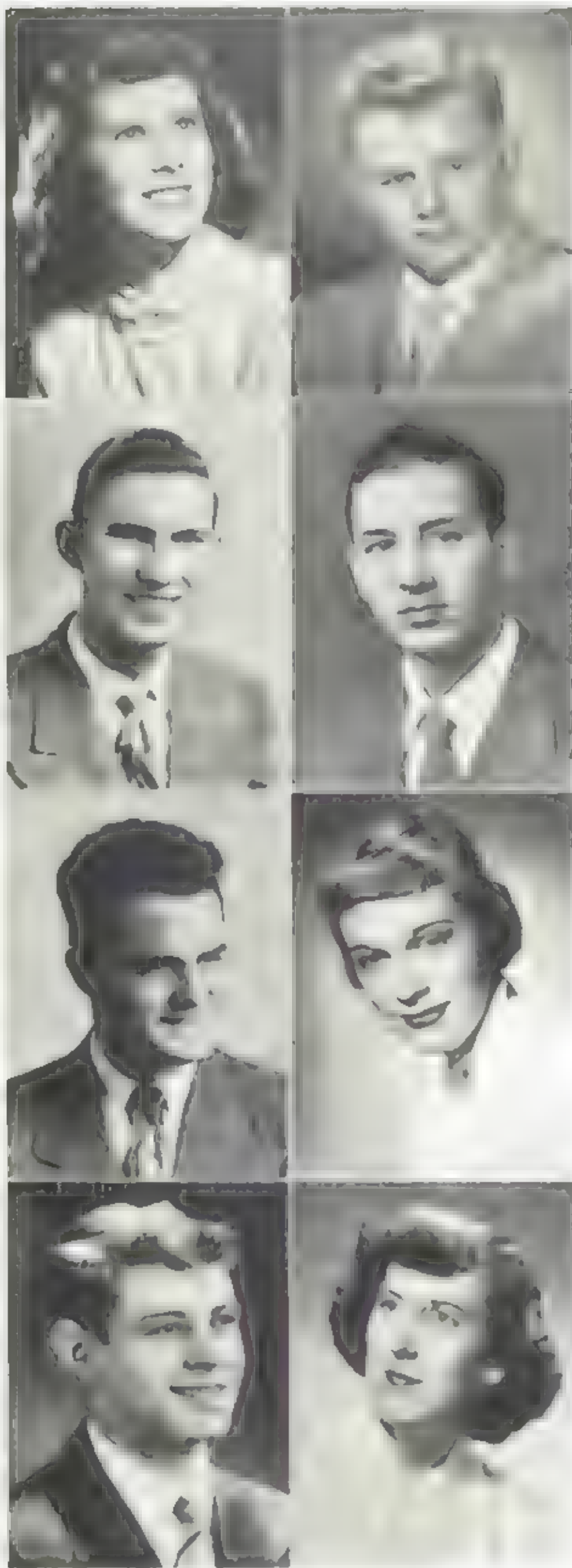
Varsity Football 2; Varsity Basketball 1; Track 3; Tennis 2; Intramural Champions 1; Senior Play Cast 1; Senior Play Committee 1; Class Secretary 1; Reporter 2; Library Club 1; Explorer's Club 1



BARBARA MAY MARTIN General

Likes Loyal, dancing, and French
Wants to be a receptionist and housewife

Glee Club 1,2,3; Junior Play Committee 3; Drama Class 3; Class President 1; Acorn Staff 4; Oaks Staff 4; Cheer leader 1; Style Show 2



DESDY MAE MATHEWS College

*Likes ice-skating and dancing
Wants to be a nurse*

Class Vice President 2; Class Treasurer 1; Student Council Room Representative 2,3; Cheer Leader 1; Library Club 2; Y Teens .

RICHARD LEON MEAD General

*Likes anything for a good time
Wants to be a millionaire*

HANNES MEYERS, JR. College

*Likes politics
Wants to be a lawyer*

Baseball 2,3,4; Debate Team 2,3,4; Extemporaneous Winner 3; Junior Play Committee 3; Senior Play Cast 4; Class President 4; Student Council Room Representative 3; Spanish Club 4 (President); Teen-age Book Club 3

JOHN J. MILLER General

*Likes television
Wants to be a printer*

JERRY ALAN MOELLER General

*Likes baseball
Wants to own a hunting lodge up North.*

Reserve Football 2; Varsity Basketball 3,4; Reserve Basketball 2; Intramural Champions . Baseball 2,3,4; Junior Play Cast 3; Acorn Staff 4; Oaks Staff 4; Student Council Room Representative 2,4; Student Council Convention 2; Oaks Advertising Salesman

MARGARET JO MONTGOMERY College

*Likes music, sailing, clothes, and
cheeseburgers
Wants to be a model*

Choir 4; Mixed Chorus 4; Junior Play Committee 3; Senior Play Committee 4; Student Council Room Representative 4; Library Club 1; Y-Teens 4; French Club 3; Spanish Club 3; Junior-Senior Prom 4

ROBERT P. MONTNEY General

*Likes girls, fishing, and dreaming
Wants to be a barber*

Reserve Football 1; Track 1; Choir 2,3,4; Glee Club 1; Student Council Room Representative 1; Boy Scouts 1. Transferred from Muskegon High School

MARYLYN JEANNE MORAN General

*Likes tennis and eating.
Wants to be the manager of a dress shop*

Acorn Staff 4; Oaks Staff 4; Advertising Salesman 4; Style Show 1,2,3,4

JAMES EDWARD MORROW College

Likes to eat

Wants to be a teacher.

Tennis 2; Band 1; Senior Play Committee 4;
Science Club 2

HARVEY JAMES MYERS General

Likes women

Wants to be rich

Reserve Football 2

SHIRLEY MARIE NEWALD College

Likes music football, and food

Wants to be an elementary teacher

Band 1; Choir 2,3,4 (President); Junior Play Committee 3; Senior Play Cast 4; Class Vice President 3; Acorn Staff 4; Oaks Staff 4; Advertising Salesman 4; Student Council President 4; Student Council Secretary 3; Student Council Room Representative 2; Style Show 3; Chronicle News Editor 4; Junior-Senior Prom Committee 3; Library Club 1; Y-Teens 1,2,3,4 (Vice President); Spanish Club 2,3 (Vice President); Exchange Student 4; Delegate to Conference 2,3,4

JONI ELLEN NEWBLOM College

Likes debate, football, dramatics

Wants to do speech or dramatics work

Debate Team 3,4; Oratory Winner 2; Declamation Winner 3; Junior Play Cast 3; Junior Play Committee 3,4; Senior Play Cast 4; Dramatics Class 3,4; Class Vice President 1; Chronicle News Editor 4; Acorn Staff 4; Oaks Staff 4; Advertising Salesman 4; Student Council Room Representative 1; Cheer Leader 4; Junior Arbor Girl 3; Heights Nite Show 4; Variety Show 4; Community Chest Speaker 3; Junior-Senior Prom Committee 3; Y-Teens 1,2,3; Spanish Club 2

KENNETH D. NORDEN College

Likes his dad's car

Wants to be an electronics engineer

Varsity Football 3,4; Reserve Football 2; Tennis 2; Intramural Champions 1; Senior Play Committee 4; Hi-Y 1,3,4

ALFRED JAY OWENS General

Likes baseball

Wants to be an engineer

Boy Scouts 1,2,3; Science Club 1,2

SHEILA ANN PAYNE College

Likes history

Wants to be a teacher.

Acorn Staff 4; Oaks Staff 4; Record News Editor 4; Advertising Salesman 4; Student Council Room Representative 1; Style Show 1,4; Girl Scouts 1 (Treasurer), 2 (Secretary); Science Club 1

BERNICE P. PETERSON General

Likes music.

Wants to be a teacher

Intramural Champions 2; Glee Club 1; Spanish Club 2





ANDREW RENE PHILLIPS College

Likes baseball
Wants to work in a plating company.

Varsity Football 3; Reserve Football 2; Varsity Basketball 3; Baseball 3,4; Student Council Room Representative 1; Spanish Club 2,3; Bible Club 3

BETTY JOYCE PIPER General

Likes roller-skating
Wants to be happy

Style Show 4

CALVIN J. POTTER General

NANCY M. POWERS Commercial

Likes music.
Wants to enter civil service

Orchestra 1,2,3; Junior Arbor Girl 3; Girl Scouts 1; Teen-age Book Club 2

BETTY JANE PUTNEY General

Likes dill pickles and "goulash"
Wants to be a housewife

Acorn Staff 4; Art 3

GERTRUDE LANORE QUINN General

Likes moonlight and men.
Wants to be a nurse

Glee Club 1; Style Show 1,4; Intramural Basketball Girls' Track

PATRICIA MARIE QUIRK General

Likes dancing and scalloped potatoes.
Wants to be a private secretary.

Junior Play Committee 3; Senior Play Committee 4; Acorn Staff 4; Style Show 1,2; Junior-Senior Prom Committee 3; Senior Ring Committee 3; Library Club 1,4 (President 1, Vice President 4, Secretary 1); Y-Teens 1 (Vice President); Spanish Club 2; Camera Club 2

HELEN MAE RAMBO General

Likes cowboy music.
Wants to be a beauty operator.

Library Club 1,2

ROBERT JAY RETSEMA College

Likes football
Wants to be a mechanical engineer

Honors 1; Dramatics 1

JOYCE ELAINE RILEY General

Likes hot fudge sundaes
Wants to be a school teacher

Glee Club 1; Student Council Representative 1;
Commercial Club 2,3

DORIS ROGERS General

Likes popular music
Wants to be an air hostess.
Acorn Staff 4; Oaks Staff 4; Advertising Salesman
(Oaks) 4; Spanish Club 4; Reporter 4; Dramatics 1

JACK ROGERS General

Likes history
Wants to be a sailor

MARJORIE LOIS ROLLENHAGEN General

Likes traveling and sardines.
Wants to join the service.

Style Show 1.

JAMES FRANKLIN ROOSA College

Likes hunting and fishing
Wants to be a chemist

Band 1,2; Orchestra 3,4.

LEWIS CHARLES ROUSELL General

Likes dancing.
Wants to be a tool-maker.

SHIRLEY JUNE RUDD College

Likes music.
Wants to be a teacher.

Choir 2,3,4; Glee Club 1; Choir Festivals 2,3,4;
Junior Play Cast 3; Senior Play Committee 4;
Dramatics 1; Junior Arbor Girl 3; Style Show 3;
Junior-Senior Prom Co-Chairman 3; Library Club
1; Y Teens 1,2,3,4; Spanish Club 2,3; Teen-age
Book Club 2





VERNON EVERETT RUNK General

Likes one girl
Wants to be a printer.

Baseball 2,3,4; Varsity Football 3,4; Reserve Football 2; Student Council Representative 4



LEROY SANDERS General

Likes music
Wants to be a disc jockey.

Track 1



SHIRLEY IRENE SAUDERS General

Likes to be happy
Wants to be a secretary

Band 1; Choir 2; Junior Play Committee 3; Senior Play Committee 4; Dramatics 1; Student Council Representative 4; Library Club 1; Y-Teens 1,2,3,4 (Treasurer 4, President 4); Camera Club 2; Teen-age Book Club 2



NANCY ANN SCHROEDER College

Likes convertibles
Wants to be an elementary teacher.

Student Council Room Representative 1,2; Y-Teens 1,2; Spanish Club 2,3

JOHN SEDLAR, JR. General

CAROLE JOAN SEEGER Commercial

Likes kids
Wants to be a housewife

Girl's MH Winner 3

BETTY LOU SENG Commercial

Likes roller-skating.
Wants to be a private secretary.

Girl's MH Winner 3; Junior Arbor Girl 3; Booster Club 3,4

RICHARD ARLEN SHELDON General

Likes watching the Detroit Tigers play.
Wants to be a hotel manager.

Varsity Basketball 3; Reserve Basketball 2; Class President 1

MARIAN ELLEN SHELKEY **General**

Likes cherry pie, music, football, and English.

Wants to be a practical nurse.

Dramatics Class 4; Acorn Staff 3,4; Oaks Staff 3,4; Art Editor (Acorn-Oaks) 3,4; Art Club 4 (Secretary); Teen-age Book Club 2.

ELIZABETH M. SHEPPARD **General**

Likes music, sports, and hamburgs

Wants to be a disc jockey.

Gul's MH Winner 2; Intramural Sports 1,2,3,4; Acorn Staff 4; Oaks Staff 4; Y Teens 2; Spanish Club 2.

JOHN JUNIOR SIEWERT **College**

Likes ice-skating.

Wants to be a salesman

EDWARD RAY SKOCELAS **General**

Likes baseball

Wants to operate a grocery store.

LOIS ANN SKOCELAS **Commercial**

Likes Harry.

Wants to be a secretary.

Choir 1; Glee Club 1; Junior Play Committee 3; Senior Play Committee 4; Class Secretary 4; Student Council Room Representative 3; Sodality 1,2; Latin Club 1,2; Class Chairman 1.

JEAN FRANCES SMITH **College**

Likes swimming, dancing, and sailing.

Wants to be a model.

Glee Club 4; Junior Play Cost 3; Dramatics Class 2; Cheer Leader 1; Junior Arbor Girl 3; Junior-Senior Prom Committee 3; Y Teens 2,3; French Club 2,3

PHYLLIS SMITH **General**

Likes music.

Wants to be a bookkeeper.

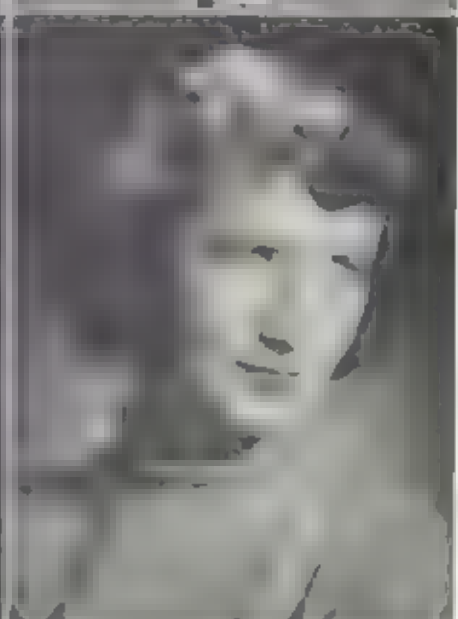
Glee Club 1; Style Show 1

ROBERT B. SMITH **General**

Likes sports

Wants to be a mechanic

Varsity Football 3; Reserve Football 2; Varsity Basketball 3; Reserve Basketball 2; Track 2,3.





SHIRLEY ANN SMITH General

Likes roller-skating and auto-racing
Wants to be a book keeper

Acorn Staff 4; Oaks Staff 4; Style Show 1,2,3
 Camera Club 2

HELEN LOUISE SOUSER General

Likes hot fudge nut sundaes
Wants to be a wife with 10 kids.

Choir 2,3,4; Glee Club 1; Student Council Room
 Representative 4

AVIS IRENE SOUTH College

Likes classical music
Wants to be a teacher or stenographer

Choir 2,3,4; Junior Play Committee 3; Student
 Council Room Representative 2; Junior Arbor Girl
 3; Style Show 2,3; Music Festival 2,3; Library Club
 1; Y Teens 1,2,3; Spanish Club 2,3

MARLOW F. SOVA College

Likes hunting and fishing
*Wants to be a pilot in the Navy Air
 Force*

Band 1 2

GERTRUDE T. SPOELHOF Commercial

Likes baked goods from Cole's
Wants to be a medical secretary

Style Show 1,2,3; Y Teens 1; Spanish Club 2
 Camera Club 2; Bible Club 3

FREDRICK B. STAUFFER, JR. General

Likes classical music
Wants to be a TV engineer

Senior Play Committee 4; Acorn Staff 4; Oaks
 Staff 4 Hi-Y 1,2,3; Spanish Club 2; Camera Club
 3 4

ALICE ANN STEENHAGEN General

Likes pumpkin pie and chicken
Wants to be a store manager

Band 1,2,3,4; Style Show 1,2; Heights Nite Show
 2,3,4; Holland Tulip Festival 2,3,4

ROBERT EARL STONG College

Likes wrestling
Wants to be single again

Band 1 2

FRANK TED STRACH General

Likes baseball
Wants to be a barber

JOYCE EVELYN STURGEON General

Likes dancing
Wants to be a surgical nurse

JEAN ELAINE TAYLOR General

Likes Holland
Wants to be a radio commentator
 Glee Club 1,2.

BARBARA ANN THOMA Commercial

Likes mixed dishes
Wants to be a housewife

DOREEN MAE TOBEY General

Likes music, jokes, plays, and to eat
Wants to be a dress designer

Intramural Champions 3; Girl's MH Winner 3;
 Acorn Staff 4; Oaks Staff 4; Style Show 2, Spanish
 Club 4

SHIRLEY ANN UNGER College

Likes music and sports
Wants to be a laboratory technician

Intramural Sports 1; Glee Club 1,2; Junior Play
 Committee 3; Senior Prom Committee 4; Acorn
 Staff 4; Oaks Staff 4; Advertising Salesman 4;
 Style Show 1; Library Club 1; Y-Teens 1,2,3,4;
 Spanish Club 2,3; Junior Senior Prom Committee 3;
 Dramatics 1

RICHARD PAUL VALUCK College

Likes golf
Wants to be a doctor

Varsity Basketball 3,4; Reserve Basketball 2;
 Class President 2; Class Treasurer 3; Student
 Council Vice President 3

CAROL L. VAN DINEN Commercial

Likes square dancing and fudge
Wants to be a secretary

Senior Play Committee 4; Acorn Staff 4; Oaks
 Staff 4; Junior Arbor Girl 3; Style Show 1,2;
 Library Club 4 (Secretary); Girl Scouts 1; Spanish
 Club 3.





SHIRLEY MAE
VAN VEELEN

Commercial

Likes drawing
Wants to be a private secretary.

Glee Club 1

SHIRLEY EILEEN VELTMAN College

Likes orange pop.
Wants to be a nurse

Junior Play Committee 3; Senior Play Committee 4; Style Show 3,4; Junior-Senior Prom Committee 3; Library Club 2; Y-Teens 2,3; Teen-age Book Club 2

KENNETH S. WALTHERS College

Likes "Molasses"
Wants to be an Army officer

Band 1,2,3,4; Heights Nite Show 2,3; Spanish Club 3

BARBARA L. WALWORTH General

Likes home economics
Wants to be a good housewife

Band 1

DONALD C. WARD College

Likes horses and outdoor life
Wants to be a lawyer

Senior Play Cast 4; Dramatics Class 2; Spanish Club 2,3; Science Club 2,4

PHYLLIS ELAINE WARNER General

Likes hamburgs and roller-skating.
Wants to be a telephone operator

Track 2; Acorn Staff 4; Style Show 1,2,3; Bible Club 3; Oaks Staff

LELAND KERMIT WARRICK College

Likes sports and hot rods
Wants to be an Army officer.

Reserve Basketball 2; Junior Play Committee 3; Senior Play Committee 4; Class Sergeant-at-arms 3,4; H-Y 1,2,3,4; Spanish Club 2,3,4

GEORGE R. WELTON General

Likes Iron River
Wants to be an artist

Art Club 3

JOSEPH EDWARD WHALEN General

Likes television.

Wants to operate a gas station.

HEDSENE MARIE WILLIAMS General

Likes apple pie

Wants to be a stenographer.

INA JEAN WILSON General

Likes music.

Wants to be a piano teacher.

Choir 2,3,4

BARBARA ANN WITHROW College

Likes Gordie

Wants to be a secretary or teacher

Senior Play Committee 4; Student Council Room Representative 4; Spanish Club 2

KATHLEEN ANN WOLFE General

Likes hamburgs and French fries.

Wants to be a dental assistant

Style Show 3

JAMES H. WOODRUFF General

Likes baseball, food, and women

Wants to be a state policeman.

Student Council Room Representative 4; Hi-Y 1.

LOUISE ELLEN YONKERS College

Likes concert music

Wants to be a nurse.

Library Club 2; Y Teens 1; Teen-age Book Club 2

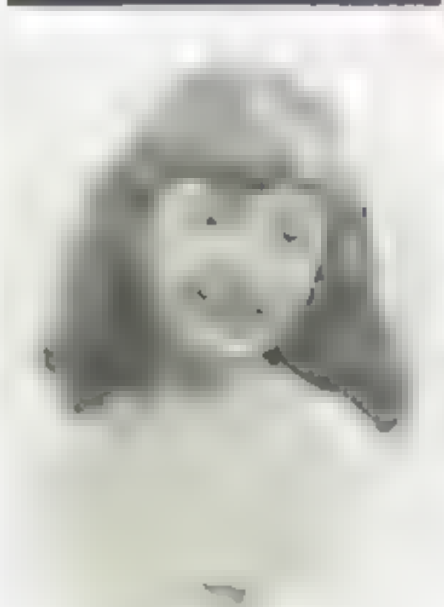
MARILYN JUNE ZELINSKI General

Likes a certain guy and eating

Wants to be a contented housewife

Glee Club 1; Senior Play Committee 4; Acorn Staff 4; Oaks Staff 4; Advertising Salesman 4; Student Council Room Representative 1; Cheer Leader 1; Style Show 2; Spanish Club 2; Glee Club 1; Dramatics 4.





1931 - 1950

SHIRLEY ANN PERKINS

Shirley Ann Perkins, who probably would have been a member of the 1951 Graduating Class if she had lived, passed away May 1, 1950. She was born March 29, 1931.

ARVIN D. BEIMBAUER G.E.D.T.

WILLIAM R. HULL G.E.D.T.

DUANE SPRAGUE G.E.D.T.
In Korea.

WILLIAM E. SANBORN General
*Likes roller-skating.
Wants to be a professional roller-skater.*

BARBARA JEAN LANGIUS General
*Likes the out-of-doors.
Wants to do office work.
Spanish Club 2*

HAROLD G. YONKERS G.E.D.T.

RONALD W. BRADFORD General
*Likes civilian life
Wants to be a millionaire.*

NORVEL RAY BECKER General
*Likes music and athletics
Wants to be a success
Track 2,3, Band 1,2 3; Football 2*

BETTY JANE BECKLIN General

EDWIN J. BRIEDEN G.E.D.T.

RAYMOND J. CEJMER General
*Likes to relax
Wants to own a garage*

MATTIE PEARL CLARK General
*Style Show 4; Commercial Club 2,3,4; Spanish
Club 4; Bible Club 4*

SOPHIE ANN GLEBAN General

HAROLD E. HANSEN G.E.D.T.
In the service

MARVIN ARTHUR HART General
*Likes vacations
Wants to own a saloon*

WILLIAM JAMES ROWSON College
*Likes football games.
Wants to be a pilot*

ALBERT JOSEPH TEUNIS General
*Likes hunting
Wants to be an auto mechanic.*

JAMES VANDERVEEN G.E.D.T.

CLARENCE L. VENNE G.E.D.T.
*Varsity Football 3; Reserve Football 2; Reserve
Basketball 2; Tennis 2,3; Hi-Y 1,2.*

RAY EDWARD WARNOCK G.E.D.T.

JOAN C. WILLIAMS General



HAROLD MC GILL
Valedictorian



MARILYN BOMERS
Salutatorian



JOAN GRAMMEL
D.A.R. Best Citizen

SENIOR UPPER THIRD

1951

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|------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|
| 1. Harold McGill | 27. Mary Boss | 53. Barbara Thoma |
| 2. Marilyn Bomers | 28. Sheila Payne | 54. Carl Mansfield |
| 3. Hannes Meyers | 29. Robert Carlson | 55. Rosemary McDonald |
| 4. Jean Grant | 30. Betty Becklin | 56. Joan Kenjesky |
| 5. James Roosa | 31. Robert Looyengood | 57. Nola Barnard |
| 6. Richard Christensen | 32. Joan Newblom | 58. Helen Souser |
| 7. Eugene Fischer | 33. Paul Eberly | 59. Dick Mead |
| 8. Hilmer Forsen | 34. Gordon Johnson | 60. Juanita Deater |
| 9. Robert Retsema | 35. Joan Dudley | 61. Donald Ward |
| 10. Shirley Rudd | 36. Joan Harvath | 62. George Andree |
| 11. Richard Valuck | 37. John Miller | 63. Colette Ferns |
| 12. Sandra Cohan | 38. Sophie Gleban | 64. Marie Bolthouse |
| 13. Jean Smith | 39. Robert Dahlem | 65. Patricia Quirk |
| 14. Alfred Holman | 40. Betty Seng | 66. Ronald Krueger |
| 15. Beverly Ellis | 41. Lucille Culver | 67. Gloria Burns |
| 16. Nancy Schroeder | 42. Juanita Graves | 68. Nela Borns |
| 17. Frank Glacz | 43. Janet Larson | 69. Donnamae Inman |
| 18. Elmer McGeehan | 44. Jacklyn Dopfel | 70. Jerry Moeller |
| 19. Janet Hannah | 45. John Johnston | 71. Kermit Warrick |
| 20. Avis South | 46. Jack Keglovitz | 72. Marilyn Lee |
| 21. Paul Buit | 47. Sylvia Hackney | 73. David Borgerding |
| 22. Willard Greene | 48. Bonnie Decent | 74. Joyce Garvey |
| 23. Martha LeMieux | 49. Joan Grammel | 75. Lois Skocelas |
| 24. Nancy Powers | 50. Carol VanDinen | 76. Terrance Bowers |
| 25. Joan Fox | 51. Betty Cooper | 77. Robert Hagstrom |
| 26. Ronald Friedman | 52. Mable Bullion | 78. Joe Whalen |



Standing: Murray, Fischer, Strah, Premo
Sitting Pohl and Wood

Keith Pohl, president of the Junior Class, led the graduates of 1952 through a very successful year.

The Juniors presented the annual class play, entitled "Spring Green", by Ryerson and Clements. It was directed, as usual, by Miss Julia A. Royse and E. W. Gillaspay. The Junior-Senior Prom was held in June. When this book went to press, committees were being appointed and preliminary plans laid.

Ambitious officers and energetic, loyal committees contributed greatly to the overall success. A dance after the Grand Haven basketball game also helped to liven things up.

Advisors are: Miss Whitfield, H. A. Kruizenga, and Leonard Schregardus.



Sophomores got off to a late start this year, waiting until early spring to organize their class. They met one afternoon in the study hall with Mr. Bolt, principal, and made up a slate of candidates. They printed ballots and elected officers, as follows: President, James Davies; vice-president, Dean Bailey; secretary, Sally Sekeres; treasurer, Bill Start; sergeants-at-arms, Leroy Mitchell and Ken Plichta.

When the Oaks went to press, the class had not yet become active except to appoint a sophomore ring committee to confer with the Juniors and a ring sales representative. Advisors had not yet been named.

Mitchell, Bailey, Davies, Sekeres, Start, Plichta



SOPHOMORES

Allen
Ardie
Barnhard

Barnhill
Beaulacux
Bisard

Bolthouse
Borgerding
Botruff
Burse

Burton
Calkins
Carmean
Carter

Chingman
Coliman
Cohan
Cole

Coleman
Cook
Crawford
Cummings

Dawes
Dennis
Dykema
Eddy

G. Ellis
O. Ellis
Erickson
Ferton

Foster
French
Friedman
Goldsberry

Greer
Griffin
Hansen
Hawkins

Hamilton
Henry
Herbert
E. Howell

L. Howell
Jamison
E. Johnson
V. Johnson

Leatherman
Lorenz
Mayette
Mecher

Malmstrom
Morris
Morrow
McMurray

J. Neiser
Newald
Pimpleton
Remson

Schei
Sanborn
Schotter
Scott

Sheppard
Signil
Susterich
Terrell

Thornberry
Tindall
Toliver
Tucker

Tuttle
Urabel
Vanderwest
Watts

West
Westerman
Wierango
Hendrick

Edge





Ackerman
Adamczak
Alger

Anderson
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Bacon
Bakker
Bailey
Balas

Baldwin
Barber
Bates
Beck

Bench
Bernard
Black
Blake

B. Bodnar
L. Bodnar
Bond
Bonifield

Bosch
Boston
Bouwcamp
Bradford

Brandon
Bull
Burgdus
Burmeister

Burnett
Burton
Carlson
Carr

Christmas
Clapp
Cline
Colletta

Cook
C. Cooper
G. Cooper
Cranston

Crawford
Dault
E. Davies
J. Davies

Decent
Deephause
DeFrench
Dick

Dilly
Dobb
Dornbush
Doubrava

Dunham
Earley
Evans
Featherstone

Fikes
L. Fortenbacher
M. Fortenbacher
Frazier

Freeman
Garber
Garner
Gauthier

Gilchrist
Goldberg
Goodrich
Grant

Guice
Gurinski
Hahn
Harrington

Harris
Hauke
Hughes
Hawley

Hempken
Herbert
Hesselink
Highway

Hiler
Hoogewind
Howell
Jackson

Jacobs
Jensen
L. Johnson

M. Johnson
R. Johnson
Jones

Keglovitz
Kelly
Kempman
Kempker

D. Kessler
M. Kessler
Kear
Kienke

Kirkpatrick
Kitterman
Kleeves
Klein

Kleyn
Klunder
Koning
Kool

Kozler
Krueger
Kusnier
Lambrix

Lee
Lein
Lang
Langlois

Mattson
McCullough
McDonald
McFall

McFarland
McGary
McGeehan
McLean

Meister
Molin
Merrihew
Meyers

Miller
Miskowiac
Mixer
D. Mitchell

L. Mitchell
R. Mitchell
Murar
Moore

Nearing
Neiser
Nelson
Newman

Nicholson
Noble
Norden
Nuttall

Ochs
G. Olson
P. Olson
O'Reilly

Parker
Pattison
Paulin
Paulson

Pawlak
D. Pearson
E. Pearson
W. Pearson

Peltresne
Penny
Persons
Petroopoulos

Pitts
Plichta
Poe
Pollifrone

Portenga
Quigley
Richards
Robinson

Rowson
Rupright
Sawdy
Schmidt





Schmiege
Scott
Sekeres

Shafer
Shelkey
Sims

Singer
Skocelas
H. Smith
J. Smith

Sova
Staples
Stark
B. Start

P. Start
Stariha
Steenhagen
Sterkenburg

Stevens
Stryker
Surlus
B. Sutton

R. Sutton
Sydner
Tanner
Tarney

Taylor
Thompson
Tomorsky
Torrey

Trammel
Tsaggaris
Tucker
VanBrocklin

Vanderweele
Vanderstell
VanDyke
Vargo

Vitek
Vivian
Voorhies
Walker

J. Wagenmaker
W. Wagenmaker
Wallace
Waller

J. Walters
W. Walters
Walworth
Watson

Weaver
Webb
Westerman
B. Whitsell

L. Whitsell
Whittum
Wigren
Williams

Wilson
Witham
Wohlgenuth
Wolcott

Woodruff
Young
J. Zeller
M. Zeller

Zimmer
Zufelt
Herrala

Andrew
Bennett
Bickowski

Brongersma
J. Brown
M. Brown

Bull
Carlson
Carpenter
Carter

Charland
Connell
Dahl
Danford

Durga
DeVries
Egged
Field

Frens
Goldberg
Goode
Grant

Hawkinson
Hemphill
Hunter
Johnson

Kamp
Kerley
Kesteloot
King

Klesgen
Laban
LaPorta
Leigh

Little
Martin
Mauch
McClary

Macher
Miles
Morris
Muskovin

Nummerdor
Orling
Pawlak
Pelitresne

E. Peterson
W. Peterson
Privasky
Robidoux

Schmidt
Seelye
Sturgis
Talmadge

Terpstra
Veeneman
Wagner
Walt

Wannemaker
Wayman
Wattrick
Webster

Westveer
Williams
Workman
Wyant

Zorn

Abraham
Ackerman
E. Alexander

K. Alexander
Allen
Ammond

E. Anderson
M. Anderson
N. Anderson
S. Anderson

Appel
Babcock
Baker
Bakker





Bartrand
Bickowski
Bolema

Borgula
Bramer
Bredin

Brewer
Bringedahl
Bryant
Buck

Burley
Campbell
B. Carlson
J. Carlson

Carter
Christensen
Cobb
Coffin

Cogswell
Cook
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Cooper

Corpe
Crevier
Dance
Dawson

Dean
DeBard
DeGraves
Devenport

DeWitt
Deiters
Deitz
DeLong

Doe
Dutton
Eagles
Edick

Enders
Engle
Fekete
Felcoski

Fischer
Fletcher
B. Fortenbacher
T. Fortenbacher

Franks
Fodrocy
Gallup
Garbrecht

Genter
George
Giestrum
Glacz

Goetz
Golliver
Goryl
Gould

Goulet
Grecheski
Grenell
Grybnar

Habetler
Hall
Hamilton
Harris

Hartman
Hatten
Hegedus
Hendrick

Hiler
Hosko
Houck
Hunter

Jenkins
Jeter
Jett
B. Johnson

E. Johnson
H. Johnson
L. Johnson
Jones

Juhnke
Kaiser
Kandalec
Kleeves

Kline
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Link

MacIntosh
Martin
Matthews
McIntyre

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Melcher
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Miner
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Mueller

Murray
Neiser
E. Nummerdor
R. Nummerdor

Nuttall
Ogborn
Owens
Parsons

Patroska
Patterson
Penn
G. Pertilla

S. Pertilla
Plichta
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Posthumous

Frucha
Putnam
Putney
Rambo

Randall
Reams
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Retsema
Richardson
Ridgeway
Riley

Ritter
Rollson
Rollenhagen
Rawdon

Ryan
Saunders
Scheel
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Shaffer
Scholtens
Seng
Skocelas

B. Smith
N. Smith
R. Smith
Start

Steinkraus
Sternburgh
Stevens
Strah

Stratton
Sullivan
Temple
Tjapkes

Toney
Tucker
VanBogelen
D. Vanderstelt





P. Vanderstelt
Whalen
Whitlum

Wiersma
Wiegart
Williamson

Wintick
Wood
Wright
Zarimba

Ziegler
Zimmer
B. Johnson
Olson



Zeckzer

Ambrose
~~Bakker~~
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Bandoek

Bartrand
Bennett
Bishop
Boles

Brannan
Bringedahl
Brooking
Brumm

Buchan
Carlson
Carpenter
A. Chingman

Clapp
Cook
Crawford
Craymer

Cutler
Davies
DeBard
Durham

Ecklesdafer
Evans
Freeman
Garber

Gilbert
Gilmore
Griffes
Hammock

Hammond
Hartmann
Hartsema
Himmelberger

Januska
Kelly
Kruisenga
Lascko

Lenoir
Lohmeyer
Lynn
Marion

Miesen
Pelholes
Premo
Radke

Rosenhauer
Sekeres
Sipple
Smith

Sutter
Szymczyk
Thorsen
Timmer

Upton
Verduin
Warner
Webster

Weller
Workman
Zelar



Student Council is an organization representative of "democracy in action". Through the Student Council, students have an opportunity to express their opinions on the administration of school affairs. Learning to govern themselves is one of the most important things students can learn.



Activities

Extra-curricular activities, as well as activities and projects accomplished in connection with the work of the regular classroom study, are important factors in a student's education.

Activities help a student's social development. Membership in all of the clubs offers experience in discussion, the making of quick decisions, experience in parliamentary procedure, and speaking in public.

Among the many opportunities offered in this high school are: membership in clubs, student council, debate; participation in band, orchestra, glee club, choir, dramatics productions, forensics; membership on the high school newspaper staff of "The Acorn" and the yearbook staff of "The Oaks"; selling Oaks advertising; style show in the home economics department; home talent or amateur shows; intramural athletics, and interscholastic athletics.



Back row: Davies, R. B., Jones, McIntosh, Woodruff, Andree, B. Jones, Brown, C. Jones, P. Jones
 Second row: Mr. J. Verduin, advisor, Mr. J. Verduin, Fischer, Davies, Mrs. Thompson, and Mr. J. Verduin, Lee
 Bernard
 Front row: Soiser, C. Jones, Soiser, Soiser, sec., Newald, sec., Murray, vice-pres., Soiser, Verduin, Penotes

Student Council

The first Student Council was organized in 1933 and was much different from the present-day Council. All class advisors were members of the Council, and attended every meeting. Later, upon suggestion of faculty members, the students decided to make it strictly a "Student" Council. Officers of the first council were: Clement Gilbert, president; Nelson Damm, vice-president; and Flora Anderson, secretary.

Today, the Student Council has broadened its activity. It helps to better the relationship of the student to school life. Officers today are: President, Shirley Newald; vice-president, Douglas Murray; secretary, Carol Sekeres. John Wood was appointed secretary the second semester to fill the post vacated by Miss Sekeres who resigned. George Andree is finance chairman.

James W. Verduin has been advisor of the Student Council for six years. The students and the entire school owe Mr. Verduin a real debt of gratitude for his splendid co-operation.



Back row—S. Carpenter, Sheppard, Allmon, Smith, Whalen, Rosenhauer, Moeller
 Third row Tobey, Peterson, Poe, Williams, Fekete, Hilton, Gerwin, Dines, Smith
 Second row Williamson Moran Zelinski Martin Fowler Rogers Burns, Graves, Gilbert, Long, Runk.
 Front row Welton Harvath Bomers Decent Keglovitz Deater, Unger, Newald, Guthrie.
 Absent when picture was taken Newblom E. Carpenter Warner Shekey McDonald, Garvey Warner

Publications

The Heights High Herald, a literary magazine, monthly, was the first publication. It appeared in 1922. That same year, The Oaks, senior class yearbook, made its initial appearance. The Oaks continued to increase in popularity until the present day, when more than 1200 copies are sold annually and the book recognized as one of the best, with 168 pages of interesting information. This 1951 annual cost about \$4,000 to produce.

In 1930, the Heights High Herald was discontinued in favor of a new form of publication, a student newspaper, which was named "The Acorn" by the new advisor, W. E. Murray, who had joined the faculty English department in the fall of 1930. For eight or ten years all of the work on both The Acorn and Oaks was done after school hours. Six o'clock in the afternoon was "quitting time" for the editors. Today, much of the work is done in journalism classes. All publications have been printed under guidance of C. F. Koehn, printing instructor. The printing "can't be beat."

The subscriptions and advertising staffs for The Oaks had a successful season again this year. Biggest regret was the loss of our "star" salesman, Mr. R. A. Peterman, subscription advisor for the last 30 years. C. F. Bolt and several members of the faculty took over in Mr. Peterman's absence, however, and completed direction of a sale of 50 pages of advertising and 1200 copies of The Oaks.

Twenty teams sold advertising this year, each team being assigned to a definite business area. Businessmen were, as usual, very co-operative. The good-will evidenced by them was worth every cent spent for the ad itself.

Subscription captains were Shirley Newald and Marilyn Bomers for the girls, and Jack Keglovitz and Junior Meyers for the boys. At this writing, nobody knows which team won, but it was a "hot" race.

General chairman of the Publications Board is C. F. Bolt.

Oaks Business Staff

Back row—Keglovitz, Ghezzi, Norden, McGill, Christensen, Johnston, Long, Gauthier, Bowers

Middle row—Bell, Peterson, Boss, Moeller, Meyers, Johnson, Campsath, Hill, Newblom

Front row—Langius, Decent, Payne, Unger, Carpenter, Rudd, Harvath, Bomers, Montgomery

Absent when picture was taken: Newald, Sherkey, Grant, Sasser, Riley, and Dapfel. These students really had pep when it came to sales.



This year the debaters of Muskegon Heights High school continued to uphold the outstanding record which has been established over the past years.

Debaters opened the season for 1950-51 by defeating Grand Rapids Union on both sides. In the next round, the opponent was Grand Rapids Ottawa Hills, and a split decision was the result of the contest. In the third round both our teams were victorious over Grand Rapids South. We closed the season with a split decision over Battle Creek.

Once again, therefore, for the fourth consecutive year, Heights High debaters won six debates, qualifying for the State Championship race. We were eliminated by Lansing Sexton, and it may be of considerable interest to note that for the last four years, the team which has defeated Muskegon Heights, went on to win the State title. At this writing, Lansing Sexton looks like a probable state champion for 1950-51.

Miss Julia A. Royse and E. W. Gillaspy coach the Heights teams.

Debate

Meyers, Mr. Gillaspy, McGill, Newblom, Carlson





"Spring Green"

The Junior class presented the well-known comedy 'Spring Green', for the second time in the history of the school in 1951. The play centers around the antics of worm-loving Newton Todd, a shy but intelligent young man of seventeen.

Because of an accident, Miss Julia Royse was unable to attend early play preparations and a later date than usual was assigned. E. W. Gillaspay was director, and Miss Anne Whitfield, assistant.

THE CAST

Nina Cassell	Muriel Delters
Mrs. Rumble	Joyce Kline
Scottie Cassell	Millie Janaska
Mr. Putnam	Gerald Baker
Tony Cassell	Marilyn Verduin
Pinkie Ames	Pat Scheel
Dunk Doyle	Kay Mieser
Bing Hotchkiss	Keith Pohl
Genevieve Jones	Shirley Gyebnar
Major Todd	Bob Bredin
T. Newton Todd	Alan Edick
Eula Hotchkiss	Marilyn Fischer
Dr. Luther Blodgett	Douglas Murray
Officer Ryan	Dan Premo
Billy	Bill Himelberger



THE CAST

Mr. Gilbreth Dad	Hannes Meyers
Mrs. Gilbreth (Mother)	Shirley Newald
Ernestine	Jon. Newblom
Frank	Bob Carlson
Jackie	Steven Murar
Dan	Donald Ward
B.L.	Carl Mansfield
Fred	Mike Adamczak
Anne	Joan Horvath
Lillian	Sandra Cohan
Martha	Gloria Clark
Mrs. Fitzgerald	Juanita Deater
Mr. Burton	Harold McGill
Joe Scales	Jack Keglovitz
Miss Brill	Marilyn Bomers
Larry	Kenneth Essenberg

"CHEAPER BY THE DOZEN"

The Senior play centered around the life of Frank Gilbreth, among whose accomplishments was the rearing of a dozen children on an efficiency program. The play was well received by large audiences in spite of the postponement owing to a severe snowstorm which paralyzed the community.

Much credit is due Miss Julia A. Royse and E. W. Gillaspy, directors, and the cast which kept everyone "in stitches".

Forensics

Muskegon Heights was capably represented in the forensic contests this year. The winners in the elimination contest here at school were as follows:

Oratorical declamation, Harnett Lee and Dorothy Hesselink; Dramatic Reading, Marilyn Verduin and Marilyn Hamilton; original oratory, Joni Newblom, and Alan Edick; extemporaneous speaking, Junior Meyers and Jack Johnston.

The local contests were under direction of E. W. Gillaspy, assisted by Miss Anne Whitfield, owing to the illness of Miss Julia Royse.

At the time of this writing, all of the foregoing students were busy preparing for the district forensic contest to be held in Muskegon, where they were to be Muskegon Heights representatives.

Back row—Mr. Gillaspy, Johnston, Verduin, Lee, Edick.
Front row—Hesselink, Meyer, Newblom, Hamilton



Library Club

The Library club was first organized in October, 1928. Mrs. Parker began the work and Miss Julia DeYoung carried on. First officers were: President, Daisy Gilmore; vice-president, Augusta Hutson; secretary, Tillie Mabrite; treasurer, Marion Shupp.

Purpose of the club as originally organized was to serve the faculty and the student body efficiently and to inspire the love of reading, to develop capable library assistants, and to promote a friendly library atmosphere. Motto is "Grow and Serve."

The Library staff of today has the following duties to perform: assist in the preparation of books for circulation by typing cards, pasting and shellacking, taking charge of the charging desk, doing the shelving of returned books, keeping books in order, and supervising the periodical storage. Keeping the bulletin board up to date is also part of the job.

Back row Miss Kidwell, Bugaski, Hemken, Smith, McIntyre
Front row Van Dine, Baker, King (president), Quirk, Honke



HI-Y



Top row: Mr. Schregardus, Ridgeway, Hammond, Andree, Glover, Dasler, Murray, Campamith
 Middle row: Privasky, Hartman, Baker, Boles, Davies, Doe, Miesen, Bradford, Long
 Bottom row: Knopl, Bredin, McIntosh, Pohl, Warrick (pres.), Cutler, Kerley, Wood, Mr. Krueger

Heights Hi-Y club began an enthusiastic program October 9, 1922, after re-organizing from the previous year. At that time, the new Bible study books were distributed and plans for the year were discussed. At the next meeting, officers were elected as follows: President, Dan Kelly; vice-president, Lewis Fitch; secretary, Stan Burggraaf; treasurer, Kenneth Nyström. Paul Meader was the club advisor in those days, and did a "swell" job with the boys, many of whom are outstanding men today.

In 1951, Hi-Y officers were as follows: President, Kermit Warrick; vice-president, Douglas Murray; secretary, Robert Cutler; treasurer, John Wood. Mr. Fred Krueger and Mr. Leonard Schregardus were advisors. Distribution of good will bags at Christmas time was one of the main operations of the year. Swimming and meetings at the YMCA were enjoyed by all.

Y - Teens



Top row: Blake, Tarney, Keglovitz, Carlson, Gluchst, Mattson, Melin, Norden, Dunham, Johnson
 Fourth row: Vanderweide, Steenhagen, Brongersma, Erick, Erickson, O'Harty, Fawcett, Bolas
 Third row: Lee, Zimmer, Chadland, Glade, Wannamaker, Feterach, Hampton, Brongstad, Jonsson, Hartman, Pelletier
 Second row: Carlson, Sterkenberg, Veeneman, Laseko, Andersen, Ambrose, Prucha, Scheel, Verlan, Dutton, Evans
 Front row: Miss Hicken, Davies, Cook, Cooper, Sanders, Krutzenya, Neward, Boners, Unger, Harvath

Y-Teens, a high school organization co-sponsored by the local YWCA, has changed a great deal since the first club in 1921. It was first known as the Girl Reserves organization, and changed its name in recent years to "Y-Teens".

The social calendar of the Y-Teens this last year has been crowded with many activities. They have sponsored two dances, "The Pigskin Punt", a football dance, and a spring "dress-up" dance which had not yet been named when The Oaks went to press.

Y-Teens also sponsored a series of meetings on boy-and-girl relationships. A rummage sale, a baked-goods sale, a faculty tea, Christmas caroling, and a tea for senior girls helped to bring the session to a very successful close.

French Club

One of the first clubs to be organized in our school was the French club. It was under the capable supervision of Miss Mary Lichtenæur in 1924. The aim of the club was to create interest and promote good fellowship among students taking French. The primary purpose of the club today is much the same.

First officers of the club were: Richard Geroux, president; Maurice Wilsie, vice-president; Rebecca Redmon, secretary; and Dorothy Powell, treasurer.

Present officers are: Bob Cutler, president; Sandra Ambrose, vice-president; Laura Saunders, secretary; and Alice Weirsmā, treasurer.

This year's activities consisted of social gatherings, corresponding with French students, and a skating party. Jean Massot was a guest speaker.

A. M. Courtright is advisor.

Back row: Witham, Kempker, Mr. Courtright, Tucker, Carlson, Edick
Front row: Saunders, Ambrose, Cutler, Wierama, Hoogewind



Spanish Club

Spanish club is a comparatively recent organization, beginning only a few years ago when Spanish became a part of the regular curriculum. Mrs. George Hastings, present advisor, was the founder of the group.

Activities of the Spanish club have included dances, programs for the Muskegon County Tuberculosis sanitorium, booths for refreshments at the football games, and an observance of Pan-American Day.

Spanish was taught here for three years before the club was organized in 1918. Each year the club has added a few more things to its list of many achievements. The club has, of course, a serious purpose also. A better understanding of the Spanish people and their customs, as well as Spanish culture and world peace underlies the aim of the club. Any student who wishes may apply for membership.

Top row: D. Shelkey, Stark, Anderson, G. Carlson, Hawley, M. Shelkey, Hamilton
Middle row: Cook, Brown, Cogswell, Mernhew, Petropoulos, Deater, B. Carlson, Premo.
First row: Deent, Kenjesky, Edick, Meyers, Cutler, Warrick, Mrs. Hastings



Booster Club



Miss Cobb, Anderson, Cranston, Peltresne, Hartsema, Lee, Januska, Grant, Davies, Ambrose, Bringedahl.

Officers in this year's Booster club are: Betty Seng, president; Virginia Davies, secretary; and Jean Grant, treasurer.

To join the club there are only two requirements: first, the student wishing to join must have a "B" average and, second, must have 500 points in girls' athletics. Both are "easy" to get.

The Booster club promotes school athletics by selling candy, hot-dogs, potato chips, gum, and coffee, at the football games. The profit goes to the school.

The club also sponsors the Christmas Formal every year. This year it was called "The Snowball Dance" — funny thing is, "The Snowball Dance" is a tradition from 'way back when!

Regular business meetings were held on first and third Wednesdays of each month. Miss Maxine Cobb is advisor.



The main work of the art classes this year revolved around the painting of murals for the high school. Plans have been made and it is possible that before this school year is out, the murals will be painted on the walls of the corridors. Miss Kathryn Keillor is the art instructor. Her work has been highly praised throughout Michigan. Many of her students have created some outstanding work.

Students working on the murals for the main hall include Kathleen Poe, Tom Bringedahl, and Dick Welton. Those planning the mural for the library are: Doreen Tobey, Geraldine Gilbert, Marian Shelkey, and Gena Dines. The cafeteria murals are being created by Carol Williamson, Eldonna Peterson, and Marylyn Moran.

Other work done by art students includes posters for contests, composition, and art for The Acorn and Oaks, senior class publications. The Oaks staff wishes to thank Miss Keillor and the entire art class for their splendid help. It is virtually impossible to produce an outstanding yearbook without the help of our artists.

A Cappella Choir

The finest of choral literature is studied and performed by the A Cappella Choir. R. Maynard Buck, director, selects the members of the choir on the basis of tryouts held at the beginning of each semester.

The Choir performs many times during the year, for community as well as school functions. Formal concerts at Christmas and during the spring semester are presented annually. For several years, the Choir has maintained a superb position. It is held in high acclaim by all who have heard it, a fact which is a credit to the choir members, to the director, and to our school.

This year a spring Festival-clinic was held here, during which the choir and orchestra combined for a day and evening of thrilling musical experience under a guest conductor and other artists. It is hoped that this Festival will develop into an annual event of interest to all of this area.



Glee Club

About 20 of the Choir formed a group known as the "Choraliers", who often sing where a larger group is not convenient. This group has become extremely popular because of its many "Fred Waring" possibilities.

Under the direction of R. Maynard Buck, the Glee club was developed primarily as a vocal training organization. It has become a real performing group as more and more girls have indicated an interest in this type of training.

The Glee club went to the Holland Tulip Festival along with the A Cappella Choir last year and also performed at this year's Christmas concert of the choir. The Glee club welcomes all interested girls to their organization. The Glee club meets every other school day. It is recognized as a good starting place for Choir members to tryout and to train for the future. However, the Glee club stands on its own merits and turns in a splendid performance.





Our marching and concert band of more than 100 members thrilled and entertained thousands of persons during the year, under the capable direction of Paul G. Liddicoat.

Half-time performances at the grid games provided many highlights, such as a review of present and past Broadway shows, and a show publicizing Muskegon Heights industries. The Annual Heights Nite show proved a big success, and the Spring Concert, in April, drew hundreds of interested music lovers into the auditorium.

The school, and the community as well, can be proud of Muskegon Heights High school band. As a unit, it has marched hundreds of miles during the year for a variety of community celebrations. Hours of practice often go unnoticed. We take this opportunity to commend the band and its director.



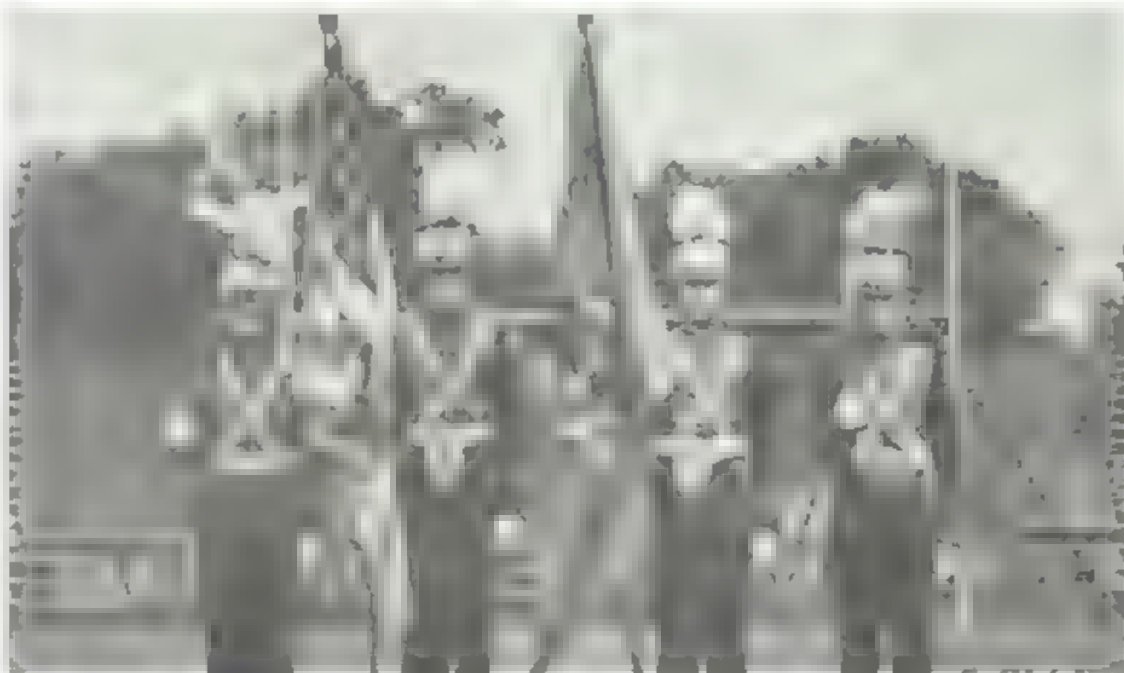
The football half time shows enjoyed by Heights fans are originated and directed by Paul Liddicoat, our versatile band leader. He is a graduate of the U. of M., where he was outstanding in band work.



Twirling their way down the field, the majorettes add a "glamour touch" to the band. They are: Arlene Schei, Barbara Paulin, Norman Durham (drum major), Pat Genter, and Gloria Carlson.



These four young men who precede the band with the school and nation's colors are: Fritz Mauch, Loren Bartrand, Ron Martin, Jack Boles.



Orchestra



Mr. Buck
Director

The MHHS Orchestra, also directed by R. Maynard Buck, is composed of some 35 members. It was organized to promote an understanding of the many line compositions. The compositions written for this medium of expression provide ample opportunity for the high school instrumentalist. Most important, perhaps, is that such practice helps to expand their musical knowledge and appreciation.



The orchestra presents two formal concerts a year. It also plays for other school functions such as plays and assembly programs. A string ensemble formed from members of the orchestra perform for many community and school functions.

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PROGRAM

Helen of Troy Overture *Offenbach*
Allegro Appassionato *Saint-Saens*
Symphony in D Major *Dittersdorf*

INTERMISSION

Down the Wind, Fantasia on
Sea Chanties *Scott*
Early California *Choute-Isaac*

CHORALIERS AND ORCHESTRA

Rondo Sherzando *Haydn*
Flute Trio: Darrell Weller, Howard Buchan
Jim Roosa
South Pacific, Selection *Rogers*





Best Looking

The good looks of the class are the property of Joanie Harvath and Eugene Fischer. They have a patent on the idea



Cutest Couple

As a couple, Barb Withrow and Gordie Johnson have our vote as "the tops". See them go spinning around together!



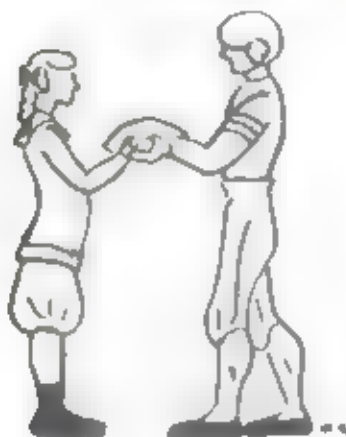
Class Cut-ups

Peg Montgomery and Chuck Long are the Class live-wires. If anything's cookin', you can bet they will be on hand.



Most-likely-to-succeed

Of course it's too early to be sure, but our guess is that two most likely to succeed would be Joan Grammel and Mike Meyers



Most Athletic

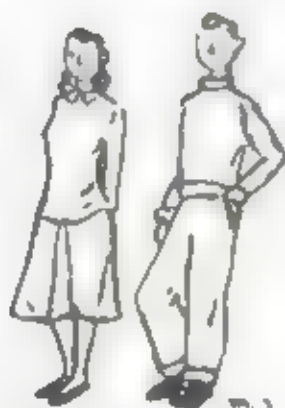
Burns and Ghezzi are a unanimous choice for a championship team of athletes. Gloria and Don get the Class Trophy, if any.





Best Editors

Bonnie Decent and Jack Keglovitz, co-editors of this year's Oaks, have our vote as "best editors of the year."



Most Popular

"There's a reason" these two are most popular, and Shirley Newald and Ken Essenberg certainly deserve the honor.



Best Dancers

If it's dancing you want to learn, in ten easy lessons, just see Shirley Januska and Merrit Bergklint.



Biggest Flirts

Marie Fowler and Jerry Billingsley are a couple of swell guys with those "flirty-flirty eyes."



Best Actors

Acting is the specialty of Joni Newblom and Bob Carlson. Our vote goes to these two "characters" on-and-off stage.





As you have probably discovered, the pictures shown here were taken at two different times during the annual Tiger-Big Red contest. On the left, hidden in the pileup, is Douglas Murray, Tiger quarterback, sneaking over for a touchdown. On the right is Paul Bailey, halfback for the Tigers, scoring again. Naturally, only one ball was used in the game. (But say! There's an idea!)



Yea, Tigers!

Take note, dear readers, for on this page you see a photograph (two in fact) which you may never see again. Look carefully and you will see the Muskegon Heights Tigers making two touchdowns simultaneously against the Muskegon Big Reds last November at Phillips field.

Now you may see the Tigers make more touchdowns against the Reds some day, but when, if ever, will you see two being made at the same time? These two touchdowns earned the Tigers the Southwestern Conference crown for 1950. Since 1930, the Tigers have been victorious over the Big Reds 11 times, losing only seven to Muskegon. Two games were ties since 1930, the year both schools began battling in Class A on an equal footing.

Football catches the attention of most fans, but we have basketball, baseball, track, and tennis teams as well. "Athletics for all" is the motto at Heights High.

Varsity Football



Back row: Coach Firme, Zimmer, Hendricks, Gallup, Fraxter, Bringedahl, Jackson, Coach Johnson.
 Fourth row: Pohl, Marion, Kamp, Hosko, Barnhard, Goulet, Strach, Plichta, Gauthier, Winicki.
 Third row: Runk, Randall, Wood, Fletcher, Bailey, Ghezzi, Brouillet, Craymer, Penn.
 Second row: Bertrand, Christensen, Jeter, Shaffer, L. Gauthier, Murray, Schow, Ridgeway, Blum, Patterson.
 Front row: Zeckzer, Essenberg, Smith, Wright, Johnson, Tjapkes, Hall, Norden, Baldwin.

Re-Caps of Conference Games

Sept. 29. Tigers 18; Holland 7. Jackson, Ghezzi, and Bailey each scored a touchdown in this game to give the Tigers their first Southwestern Conference win. From this point on, the Tigers looked good. Jackson gained most yardage for an individual; Ghezzi supplied the necessary drive when called upon.

Oct. 20. Tigers 32; Grand Haven 7. In the annual meeting with their oldest rival, the Tigers showed their sportsmanlike affection by trimming Grand Haven's Blue and Gold Buccaneers to the tune of 32 to 7. Bailey, Jackson, Ghezzi, Camp-smith, and Hall all scored for the Tigers. It was the Tigers' second conference win. The line appeared to be shaping up in good style.

Oct. 27. Tigers 31; Benton Harbor 0. It was close to Halloween, but proved a nightmare only for ill-fated Benton Harbor. It seemed as if all the powers of destruction, backed up by a tempest, suddenly descended upon our downstate rivals. Jackson and Bailey rambled almost at will up and down the Benton Harbor gridiron, as Douglas Murray, Tiger quarterback, maneuvered the Tiger machine into advantageous positions time after time. The powerful Tiger line tore Benton Harbor to shreds.

Scores of Non-Conference Games

Tigers 27; Grand Rapids Union 13.
 Tigers 8; G. R. Catholic 33.
 Tigers 32; G. R. Creston 13.
 Tigers 19; Ottawa Hills 12.

Oct. 13. Tigers 7; Kalamazoo 19. In a rough and tumble, hard-fought game at Kalamazoo, the Tigers received their first real set-back in Conference competition. Jackson, small but durable, lugged the leather 40 times by himself, averaging more than five yards a try. Yet the Tigers did not win. One or two bad breaks of the game allowed Kazoo's last backs to get away for touchdowns. It was one of those nights when either team could have come out victorious. Those who did not see the game immediately underrated the potential of the Tiger powerhouse the rest of the season, to their dismay on November 15.

Nov. 11. Tigers 13; Muskegon 6. Driving through the snow and cold, a strong, alert, and powerful Heights Tiger football eleven captured their tenth Southwestern Conference championship by defeating a determined Muskegon Big Red eleven 13 to 6 on Phillips field. The Tigers held the lead all the way, with Doug Murray calling a quarterback sneak, making it good in the second quarter to give the Tigers the edge. In the third quarter, Bailey went the distance for the Tigers and Jeter kicked the extra point to make it 13 to 0. The Big Reds scored their lone tally in the third period, but threatened continually until the final whistle. It was a great victory for a Heights team which improved tremendously. Much credit must go to a battle weary, battered bunch of linemen.



PAUL BAILEY
Senior Halfback



TONY BROURLET
Senior Center



THE BASKETBALL TEAM
Left to Right: Coach, Manager, Captain, and Team



PROPERTY OF
SKEGON HEIGHT
COACH ORLE JOHNSON



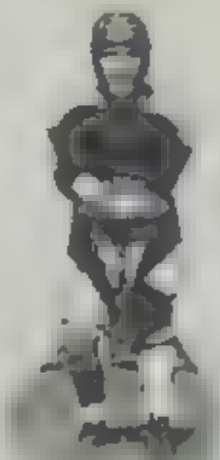
DICK CAMPSMITH
Senior End



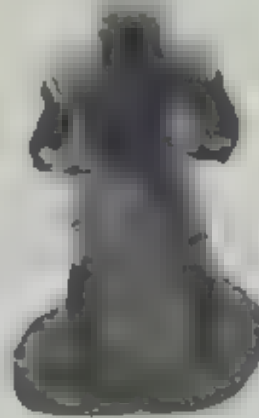
CALVIN JETER
Junior End



TOM BALDWIN
Senior Tackle
All State
All Conference



JERRY BILLINGSLEY
Senior Quarterback



BOB PATTERSON
Junior End



DOUGLAS MURRAY
Junior Quarterback



KEN ESSEMBERG
Senior Guard



BERNARD WINICKI
Junior Halfback



DICK CHRISTENSEN
Senior Quarterback



BOB MARION
Junior Center



BOB SMITH
Senior End



JAMES JACKSON
Senior Halfback
All Conference



DON GHEZZI
Senior Fullback
All Conference



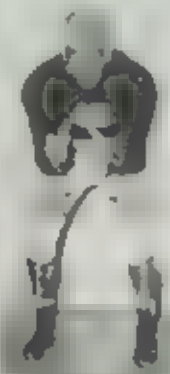
RAY GAUTHIER
Senior Guard
All Conference



GARLAND HALL
Junior Fullback



GORDON JOHNSON
Senior Tackle



Reserve Football



Top row Coach Schaudt, Coach Dave McKenzie, Grayle Woodruff, Steve Vivian, Donald Vanlyke, and Norman Thompson.
 Fourth row Gerald Privacky, Carl Frazier, Ed Aaron, Ken Plichta, John Egyed, Eugene Weaver, Dick Meister, Doug las Alger and Bill Wagenmaker
 Third row Louis Bonnier, Art Hartman, Marvin Walworth, Joe Labin, John Fekete, Ken Jacobs, Ledell Watson, Larry Mecher, Willie Wilson, Jackie Kienke, and Richard Mitchell
 Second row Larry Patterson, John Moore, Commodore Aulman, Ed Tomorsky, Dean Baly, Welkum Waker, Walter Sydnor, Ron Burmeister, Arnold Ochs, and Roy Phillips
 Front row Dave Goldberg, Clarence Highway, Bob Sutton, LeRoy Mitchell, Louis McMurray, Bob McMurray, Irving Johnson, Bill Start, and Capt. Jim Davies

September 29. Tigers 13; Holland 12. The Tiger Cubs put up a good fight and managed to win 13 to 12, although Holland's passing attack ran our Reserves ragged. Mitchell scooted around end for the first score, and Burmeister tossed one to MacMurray for the other.

October 13. Tigers 20; Kalamazoo 0. The Reserves proved it was their "lucky day" by winning their second Conference game, trouncing Kalamazoo 20 to 0. Despite a leg injury, Mitchell again piled up three touchdowns and passed to McMurray for the extra points. By this time, the time really had begun to ramble.

October 20. Tigers 34; Grand Haven 6. The Little Tigers ran their winning streak to six in a row by defeating the Grand Haven Seconds 34 to 6. Shifty Leroy Mitchell set the pace by scoring three times, once on an 80-yard sprint to the goal line. Louis McMurray made four out of five extra kicks for the extra points.

October 27. Tigers 7; Benton Harbor 14. Official whistles sounded a symphony of gloom after the first loss for the Tiger Cubs in seven games. Benton Harbor defeated the Tiger Cubs 14 to 7. Penalties, one after the other, took the edge off the sharp Heights eleven. Mitchell shot around end 12 yards to score and Louis McMurray scored the extra point with a good boot.

November 11. Tigers 13, Muskegon 19. Coaches McKenzie and Schaudt and the Tiger Cubs lost their last hope for a Conference title when the Little Reds of Muskegon shot a short pass in the last two seconds of the annual game to break a 13-13 tie, and win 19-13. Some 4,000 chilled spectators watched the defeat in a blizzard and temperature of 28 degrees. Mitchell rifled a pass to McMurray for the first T.D. and big Ochs blasted the line for the other. The teams played evenly for four quarters.

Scores of non-Conference Games

Tigers 19; Ottawa Hills 0.
 Tigers 21; Creston 6.
 Tigers 7; Catholic 6.
 Tigers 12; Union 0.

Gridiron Personalities



Coach Firme

This quartet of coaches, headed by O. E. (Okie) Johnson, is one of the outstanding "teams" in the state. Since 1927, "Okie" and "Mac" have produced well-trained, alert grid machines.

Dr. Ralph V. August, team physician has proved himself a loyal, hard-working, unselfish aide-de-camp.

H. A. Kruizenga and E. W. Gillaspy, faculty athletic managers, have charge of all ticket sales.



Head Coach Johnson

GAMES RECORD OF TWO GREAT FOOTBALL TEAMS

O. E. Johnson, Varsity Coach

Won 141, Lost 49, Tied 15.

D. R. McKenzie, Reserve Team Coach

Won 116, Lost 32, Tied 12.

1921- Musk. 2nds 35;	Heights 0	1935 Muskegon 0;	Heights 7
1922- Muskegon 72;	Heights 7	1936 Muskegon 32;	Heights 0
1923- Muskegon 39;	Heights 6	1937- Muskegon 39;	Heights 0
1924- Muskegon 20;	Heights 0	1938- Muskegon 0;	Heights 0
(C. Leo Redmond, Muskegon Coach)		1939 Muskegon 0;	Heights 7
1925- Muskegon 32;	Heights 0	1940 Muskegon 6;	Heights 0
1926- Muskegon 35;	Heights 0	1941 Muskegon 6;	Heights 7
(Oscar E. Johnson, Heights Coach)		1942 Muskegon 13;	Heights 2
1927 Muskegon 89;	Heights 0	1943 Muskegon 0;	Heights 6
1928 Muskegon 19;	Heights 0	1944 Muskegon 12;	Heights 0
1929 Muskegon 7;	Heights 0	1945 Muskegon 6;	Heights 7
(Both Class A Schools)		1946 Muskegon 0;	Heights 7
1930 Muskegon 6;	Heights 6	(Harry E. Potter, Muskegon Coach)	
1931 Muskegon 22;	Heights 0	1947- Muskegon 0;	Heights 6
1932 Muskegon 6;	Heights 13	1948 Muskegon 0;	Heights 7
1933- Muskegon 0;	Heights 18	1949- Muskegon 20;	Heights 7
1934- Muskegon 0;	Heights 38	1950 Muskegon 6;	Heights 13
		Totals	532 164



Coach McKenzie



Coach Schaudt



Mr. Gillaspy



Mr. Kruizenga



Dr. August

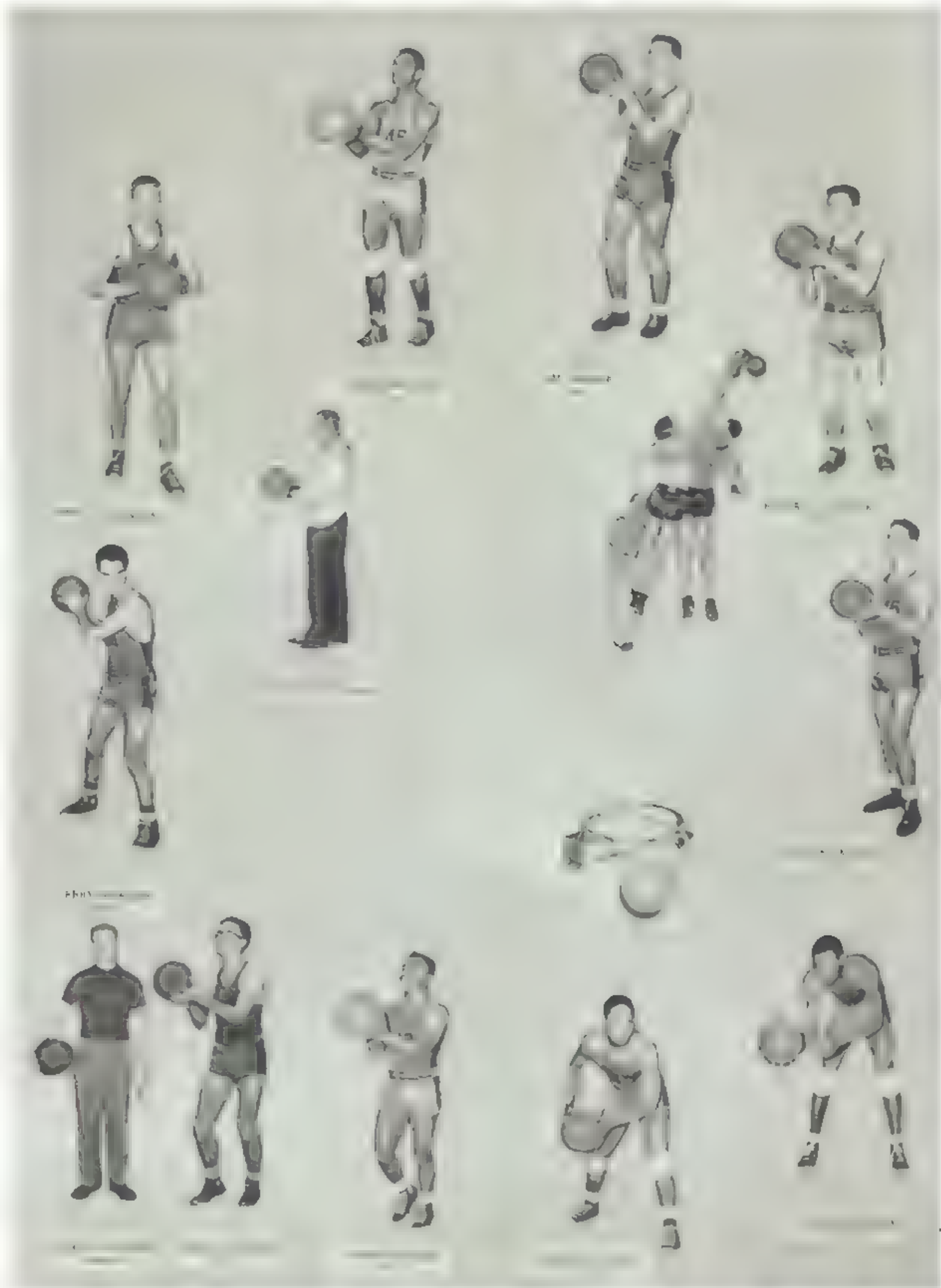


Coach O E Johnson MacIntosh Hunter Jones Johnson M Murray Moeller Murray Hall Holman DeLong, Marion, Fortenbacher, Valuck, Ridgeway, Bartrand, Ziegler, Jackson, Knopf.

The Tigers, who compiled a won 6 and lost 9 record during the season, were rated a "dark horse" in the state title cage race. Many times the Tigers would come very close to coming out on top, but often couldn't quite reach victory. Two of the Tiger defeats came at the hand of powerful Kalamazoo Central, a team which went on to capture its third consecutive state Class A championship.

The Tigers will lose four of their regular players this June. Graduating in the Class of 1951 are: Gordon Johnson, James Jackson, Jerry Moeller, and Richard Valuck. The only returning regular from the starting five is Louis McMurray. All of these boys played consistently hard-fought basketball and deserve a great deal of credit. It will impose a burden on Coach Johnson next year to replace them.

Opponents		Tigers
Lucington	26	35
Grand Rapids Central	43	34
Grand Haven	34	47
Kalamazoo	45	19
Benton Harbor	34	52
Muskegon	46	31
Holland	54	44
Ottawa Hill's	43	50
Benton Harbor	31	29
Grand Haven	28	50
Kazoo	67	43
Muskegon	48	36
Holland	57	49
Grand Rapids Central	38	48
Kazoo	51	33





Coach Lawrence Schaudé, Meister, Zorn, Forton, Tuttle, Vitak, Sutton, Hemphill, Kerley Howell, Phillips, Ochs, Mauch, Mitchell, Davies, Sydnor, Hi

Season's Scores

Won 5, Lost 10

In 15 games during the past basketball season, Coach Lawrence Schaudé's Reserves won five and lost ten. They hold victories over Grand Rapids Central, twice over Grand Haven, Ottawa Hills, and Kalamazoo.

In the 15 games, the Seconds averaged 36 points per game, to 38 for their opponents. They made a total of 128 out of 268 free throws attempted. The Reserves had a total of 540 points for the season.

Individual scoring honors went to Bob Mauch, 6'3" pivot man who bagged 173 points for an 11.6 point-per-game average for the season.

		Tigers
Ludington	32	31
G. R. Central	29	44
Grand Haven	34	45
Kalamazoo	45	40
Benton Harbor	49	36
Muskegon	40	19
Holland	43	32
Ottawa Hills	39	47
Benton Harbor	48	33
Grand Haven	29	37
Kalamazoo	23	38
Muskegon	48	34
Holland	46	41
St. Mary's	40	35
G. R. Central	35	28
Opponents	580	540

Season free throw total: 128 in 268—48 .

Bob Mauch highest total points: 173—11.6 av.

Team average per game: 36 points. Opponents 38-2, 3.



Back row Kelly Coach Johnson Philip Williams
 Third row Nearing, Sova, Plichta, Start, Grant, Davies, Martin, Watson, Shamburger, Cooper.
 Second row: Strah, Zorn, Burmeister, Premo, Ridgeway, Staples, Retsema, Mills, Slaffer, Randall, Zimmer.
 First row Goulet Christensen Moeller, R Gauthier Camps mth Guthrie Ph lips Winicki Murray, MacIntosh

Coach O. E. Johnson had only four lettermen returning from last year's squad. Tony Brouillet, Ray Gauthier, Bernard Winicki, and Jerry Moeller are four letter winners. Other prospects are Doug Murray, Bruce MacIntosh, Dick Christensen, Ted Goulet, Jim Guthrie, Bob Zorn, Bob Zimmer, Dan Premo, and Terry Bowers. It was too early to predict what the season would bring although everything pointed to a good year, at press time.

Results, 1950 Won 11; Lost 3

Height			Height	Opp.
Runs	Opponents		Hits	Hits
3	N. Muskegon	1	6	2
7	Grand Haven	3	6	8
6	Coopersville	3	8	7
7	Benton Harbor	0	8	3
3	Whitehall	1	6	3
13	Holland	7	15	9
18	Grand Haven	3	20	5
15	St. Mary's	3	14	3
7	Newaygo	0	4	3
1	Holland	0	2	3
1	Muskegon	3	3	4
0	Muskegon	5	4	4
10	N. Muskegon	3	10	4
2	Kalamazoo	4	6	3

Muskegon Heights averaged 6-1/2 runs and 8 hits per game. Opponents averaged 2-4 7 runs and 4-5, 14 hits per game.



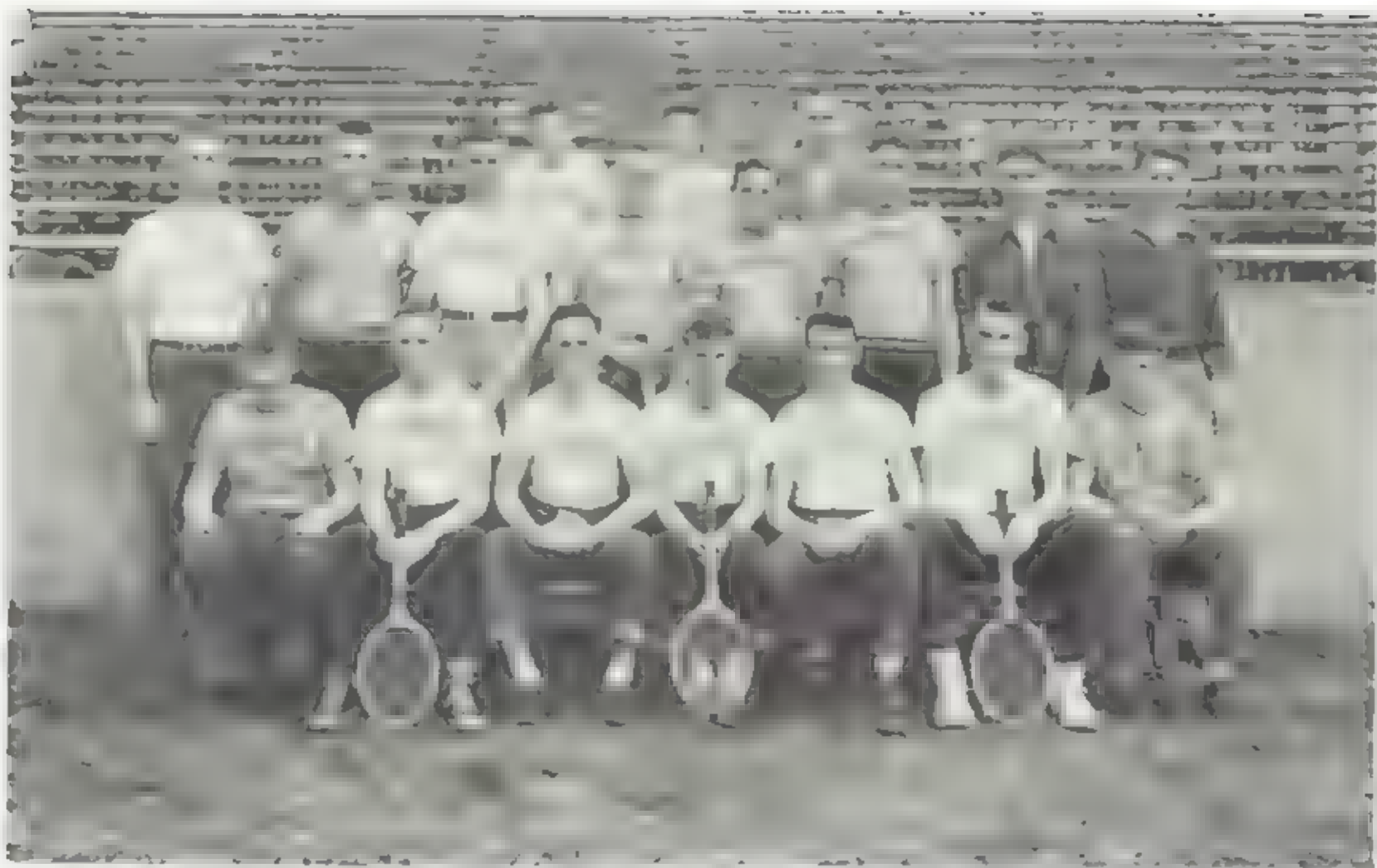
Fourth row: Coach McKenzie, Hemphill, Whitsell, Highway, McDonald, Jamison, Tolliver, Barnes
 Third row: Ochs, Whittum, Remson, Alger, Mitchell, Smith, Mitchell, Howell, Frazier
 Second row: Plichta, Anderson, Miner, Bickowski, McMurray, Fletcher, Penn, Jeter, Kamp.
 First row: Patterson, Fekete, Doe, Essenberg, Barrtrand, Hall, Marion, Holman, Forsen, Schow.

Tigers	Opponents	Date
Heights 47-1 2; Allegan 30-3 5; Holland 31-7 15;		
	Kazoo 96-1/5	April 18
Heights 97	Grand Haven 12	April 21
Heights 92-1/2	Fremont 16-1/2	April 25
Heights 60	Muskegon 49	May 2
Heights 72-1 2	Holland 35-1 2	May 6
S. W. Conference versus G. R. Schools; Heights, fifth		May 12
Heights 69-1, 2; Holland 35-2/3; B. H. 34		May 16
Regional and Conference—Kazoo, 1st; Heights, 2nd;		
Holland, 3rd; Muskegon, 4th; B. H., 5th.		May 20

Notes: Leonard, Jeter, Carlson, Evans, Baldwin, qualified for the state meet held May 27.

A Heights track and field team has not been defeated in a dual meet in three and one-half years, to date of this writing, March, 1951.

When The Oaks went to press, Coach D. R. McKenzie had issued a call for team members and was preparing for the opening intrasquad meet of the season, The Orange and Black annual meet. Snow was in the air and it was still questionable whether the meet could be held.



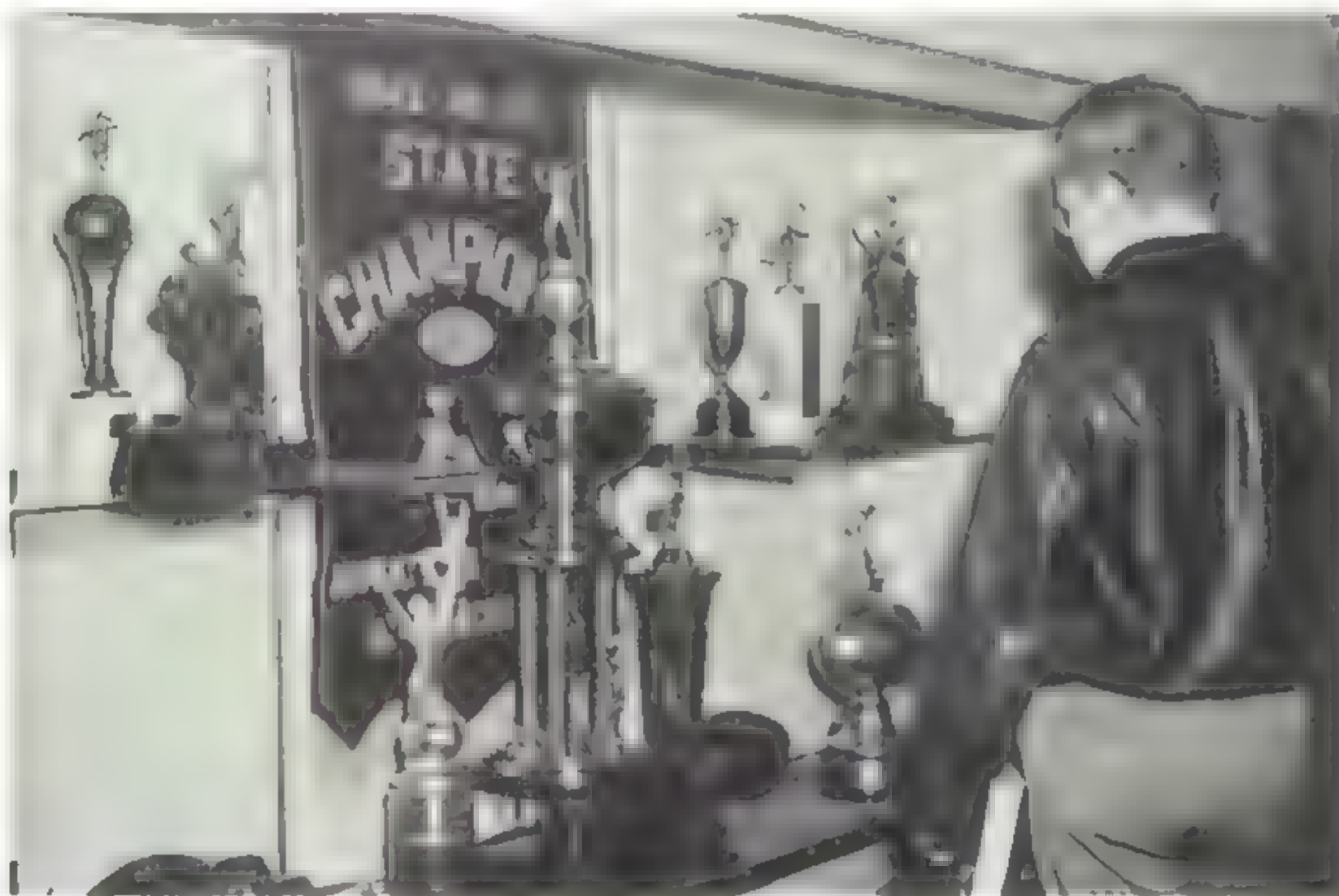
Top row: DeFrench, Torrey, Coach Firme.
 Second row: Bailey, Harrington, Walthers, Johnson, Meister, Pattison, Sutton, Lambrix.
 Front row: Kerley, Boles, Carlson, Cutler, Meisen, Mauch, Fortenbacher.

With 11 matches scheduled for this season, Coach Del Firme is in hopes of another successful net season. This year Coach Firme must shape his team around five returning lettermen. His summer tennis program has proved a help.

Returning lettermen are Bob Cutler, Bob Mauch, Don Talmadge, Art Hartman, and Jack Boles. Last season, the team had a splendid record of seven won, four lost, with the most impressive part of the season being the last. The Regional Championship, in which Benton Harbor, Lansing Eastern, and Lansing Sexton, as well as Muskegon Heights, participated, was held at Holland.

At the start of the 1951 season, Bob Cutler, Bob Mauch, and Don Talmadge appeared to be the leading prospects for starting positions. Coach Firme stated early in the season that he expects to have a good team, probably as good as any in the Conference, except for Holland or Kalamazoo, perhaps, who have seasoned net squads.

To the Victor Belongs the Spoils



Coscarelli's Banquet

Of all banquets enjoyed by the football players last season, that donated by Jim Coscarelli, genial concessionaire, stands out in the memory. Not that other banquets were not appreciated. They most certainly were, but somehow Jim's, being a "one-man-gang" affair of long-standing, stands out as a championship performance.

Jim not only provides the eats, he prepares them as well, and then serves them, too. He goes all out on the menu, sparing nothing: fruit cocktail, roast tur-

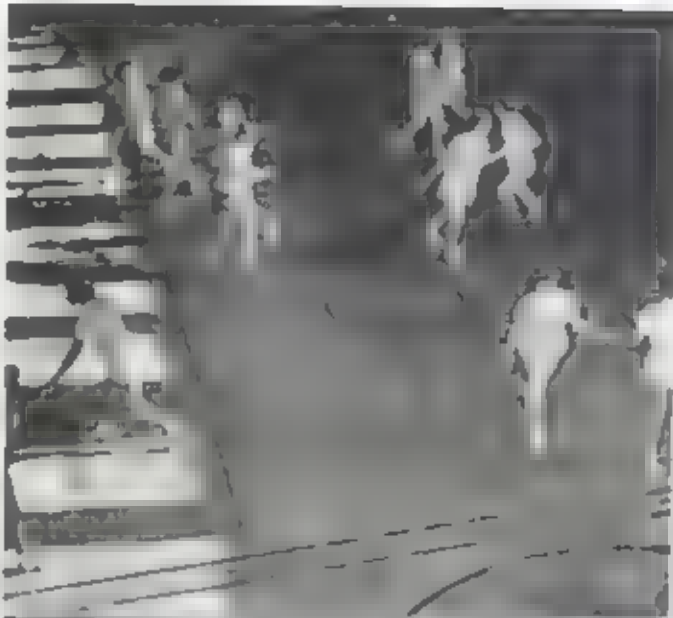
key, whipped potatoes, special orange and black banana split, milk or coffee, candy, cigars (for the men), and all the trimmings. It was held in Sacred Heart Hall.

Last season, C. F. Bolt was toastmaster. Fr. F. J. Flynn gave the invocation. O. E. Johnson introduced the team. The Hon. B. P. O'Grady, Mayor, offered his congratulations. Music was provided by members of the orchestra directed by R. Maynard Buck. Majorettes served the dinner. In short, it was "tops."

Girl's Athletics

A total of 160 girls enrolled in five classes receive regular physical education instruction in Heights High under direction of Miss Maxine Cobb. Among the many sports played in the gym classes are soccer, basketball, and softball, volleyball, square dancing, tumbling, ping-pong, bowling, archery, and track.

Intramural sports are played after regular school hours. This year Mary Fortenbacher's team won the basketball championship. Girls who won MH letters are: Marilyn Bugaski, Virginia Hartsema, Josephine Cogswell, Louise Frens, Barbara Smith, Carole Leigh, Joyce Cook, Mildred Januska, Aloha Rollenhagen, Sandra Ambrose, Mary Fortenbacher.





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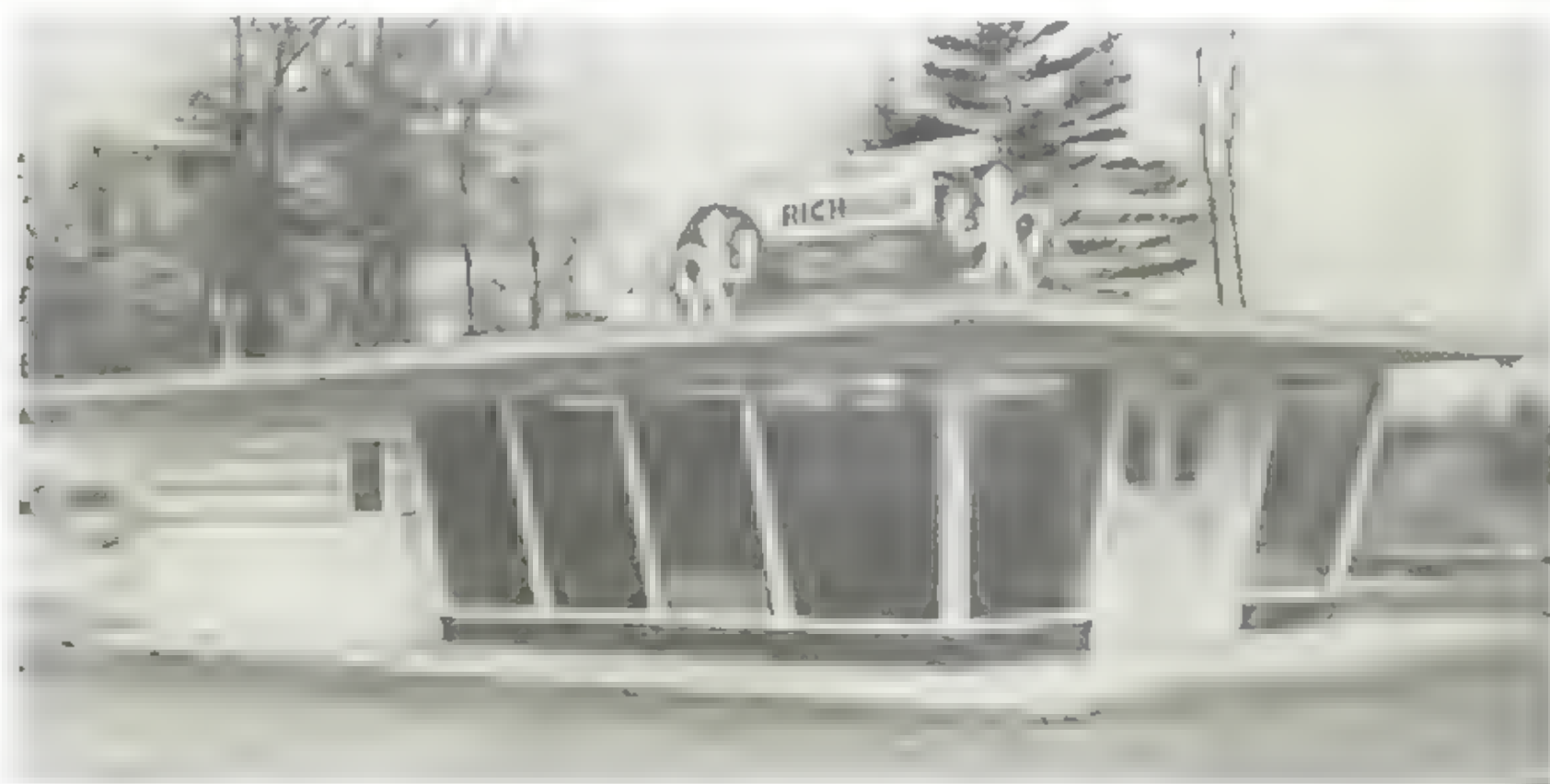
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